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PRESIDENT FAURE.

Dupuy's Minister of Marine Succeeds M. Casimir-Perier.

THE DEFEAT OF M. BRISSON.

It Was Accomplished by a Combination of Anti-Socialists.

AN EXCITING ELECTION CONTEST

Though Brisson Led on the First Ballot He Was Defeated on the Second by a Vote of 439 to 361—A Monarchist Who Wanted to Change the Constitution Ignored—Socialists Protest Against the Exclusion of Some of Their Colleagues—The New President Well Received by the Populace.

VERSAILLES, Jan. 18.—M. Felix Faure minister of marine in the present cabinet, was elected on the second ballot to be president of the French republic. M. Faure polled 430 votes to 361 votes polled by his nearest opponent, M. Henri Brisson, president of the chamber of deputies. The Socialists protested violently when the result of the ballot was made known.

By the time the hour for opening the national assembly approached all the streets leading to the Palace of Versailles were thronged with animated crowds. A large force of the corps occupied the railroad stations and other points, guards were posted throughout the palace, and the streets were lined with gendarmes. The crowds, however, were very orderly.

M. Challemel-Lacour, president of the senate, called the senators and members of the chamber of deputies to order at

M. FELIX FAURE, PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

about 1 p. m., and the proceedings proper opened at 1:10 p. m., when M. Challemel-Lacour read the articles of the constitution which apply to the case.

Then there was a scene of considerable excitement. Deputies from all parts of the halls sprang to their feet and demanding to be heard. M. Henri Michelin Revisionist, asked leave to address the assembly, with the object of recommending the convocation of a constitutional assembly for the purpose of revising the present constitution. M. de Baudry d'Asson, Monarchist and Revisionist, also demanded to be heard, but M. Challemel-Lacour could not grant M. Michelin's request, and believing that M. de Baudry d'Asson was only going to make one of his familiar affirmations of devotion to the monarchy and the papacy the president refused to hear him. This did not prevent the excitable deputy from crying: "Long live the king."

When the first bursts of excitement had subsided M. Challemel-Lacour ordered that the first ballot be taken as promptly as possible. The balloting then proceeded amid considerable excitement in the galleries of the great hall, which were crowded to their utmost with notabilities representing every profession.

Socialist Protests Begin.

M. Aveyron Labarthe, Moderate Republican, was the first to deposit a ballot in the urn. When the name of M. Leon Mirman, Radical Socialist, who is obliged to serve in the army, although he represents one of the districts of Reims in the chamber of deputies, was called in a low voice the Socialists sprang to their feet and loudly protested against his absence, which was due to the fact that the commanding officer of his regiment had refused him permission to go to Versailles. The Socialists cried: "Shame, shame. Every member of the chamber of deputies should be present. The election is illegal."

In spite of these protests, however, the roll call was continued, and when the name of M. Edmund Tussoint Socialist, was called, he shouted: "I refuse to vote. I shall deposit a blank in the urn. Vive la revolution sociale."

During the balloting, when the name of Avez was called an Allemanist deputy shouted: "Down with the presidency. Let us have a dissolution. Stop voting."

This was regarded as an indication that the Allemanist group, contrary to general expectations, was voting against M. Brisson.

There was an uproar also when the name of M. De Jeante, Socialist, was called. He shouted: "Down with the presidency." While the voting was in progress the friends of M. Felix Faure were actively canvassing for votes and with apparent success until a rumor was started that he was a Protestant. This for a time had a bad effect on his candidacy; but a deputation hastily approached M. Faure and questioned him.

The New President a Catholic.

M. Faure, who was evidently excited, said in reply to a question on the subject: "No, I am a Catholic."

This reassured his supporters, and they went to work with increased vigor to secure additional votes for their candidate.

When the name of M. Fabyrol, Advanced Socialist, was called he declared that he was opposed to the presidency, and demanded that the ministers be held responsible for the crimes which it was claimed they had committed. This caused further disturbances, but the greatest uproar broke out when the usher omitted calling out the name of M. Gerault-Richard, who is undergoing a year's imprisonment for writing an article in Le Chomard insulting to M. Casimir Perier. The omission to call his name caused the Socialists to rise en masse, and M. Jaures, the Socialist leader, shouted: "All the deputies ought to be inscribed on the list of the members of this congress. You are robbing the country of universal suffrage."

M. Challemel-Lacour tried to say something in reply, but his voice was inaudible amid the Socialist tumult. The ushers nevertheless continued the roll call.

The official declaration of the result of the first ballot was: M. Henri Brisson, 338; M. Felix Faure, 244; M. Waldeck-Rousseau, 184; M. Cavaignac, 6; M. Meline, 4; M. Dupuy, 4; Admiral Gervais, 1; Marshal Canrobert, 1; M. Loubet, 1; M. Rochefort, 1; M. Bourgeois, 1; blank, 1; total, 785.

After depositing their first ballots, the deputies assembled in the Gallerie des Busts, which was very crowded. M. Delitou, editor of La Justice, was the center of an excited throng of deputies who were vehemently protesting against the absence of M. Mirman. M. Richard, among others, shouted: "This election is illegal."

M. Jaures was also the center of a group of excited deputies. He explained to them that he had voted for M. Brisson, as the Socialists wanted an armistice and were desirous of proving that their party was one of organization and work.

Socialists Will Still Oppose the Government.

From the conversation of the deputies in the Gallerie de Busts it was gathered that if M. Brisson was not elected the Socialists would at once recommence their struggle against the government.

Shortly before the senators and deputies reassembled for the second ballot it was announced that M. Waldeck-Rousseau had retired in favor of M. Felix Faure.

The casting of the second ballot began at 4:40 p. m. and proceeded with less turbulence. M. Mirman's name, upon this occasion, was called without protests from the Socialist deputies. It became known during the progress of the second balloting that the Allemanists had come to a decision to vote for M. Brisson.

At 7:15 p. m. M. Challemel-Lacour ascended the presidential tribune, and when the hubbub had subsided he announced that the result of the ballot was: M. Felix Faure, 439; M. Henri Brisson, 361.

All of the members of the right immediately burst into cheers, and the Socialists rose and shouted: "Down with the rogues; down with thieves; away with them; send them to Mazas prison."

The members of the right replied with cries of "Down with the communc."

M. Coutaur, Socialist, retorted with: "Down with reaction."

The Announcement of Faure's Election.

An indescribable tumult followed, but finally M. Challemel-Lacour was able to make himself heard, and he declared M. Felix Faure elected president of the French republic. Thereupon the extreme left and the Socialists again rose and sent forth a tremendous united shout of: "Vive Brisson, vive Brisson."

This shouting upon the part of the adherents of the president of the chamber of deputies lasted for a couple of minutes. Nevertheless, M. Challemel-Lacour pursued the usual parliamentary course and had the minutes read while the Socialists continued their protests against the election of M. Felix Faure.

M. de Baudry d'Asson, the irrepressible Monarchist, watching his opportunity, mounted the tribune and cried: "I submitted at the opening of this congress the following revisionist proposal—that the presidency of the republic is abolished. The president of this congress refused me a hearing."

M. Viviani, Socialist, here arose and interposed a protest against the exclusion of MM. Mirman and Gerault-Richard from the national assembly, and M. Michelin joined with: "I thought this an assembly of the representatives of the French nation, but I find it to be quite the contrary."

To the applause of the Socialists the members of the right replied with a strong protest, and heated invectives were exchanged across the floor of the house.

M. Michelin, while this wordy war was in progress, succeeded in saying: "If you refuse to grant a revision of the constitution the country will enforce it."

The Sitting Declared Closed.

Thereupon M. Challemel-Lacour seized the opportunity before anybody had time to speak, and said rapidly: "As nobody asks for a hearing the sitting is closed."

The Socialists protested violently against this action upon the part of the president, and shouted loudly: "Vive la revolution sociale." But as the other members of the national assembly had departed the Socialists were left to do the same, and the salle des seances was soon empty.

After all the formalities of announcing the result of the second ballot had been concluded the president of the assembly and the cabinet ministers repaired to the room of M. Challemel-Lacour, where Premier Dupuy formally read the minutes of the meeting. M. Dupuy and M. Challemel-Lacour then made short speeches, to which President Faure responded:

"I am deeply touched beyond all expression by the great honor the national assembly has just conferred upon me. I did not seek the exalted mission you have invested me with, but nevertheless I accept the charge with a profound gratitude and a full sense of the responsibility and duties it imposes. You know me, and you need not doubt that I will devote all my energy to the accomplishment of my heavy task. I cease from this moment to belong to any party, to become the arbiter of all. In this spirit I look for support to all the representatives of the nation without distinction of political opinions. We will always be united in our common work in spite of all by love of country, devotion to the republic, love of justice and solicitude for the rights of all citizens and over all for the lowly and humble."

President Faure's Enthusiastic Reception.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—M. Faure took a train at the Versailles station and arrived at the St. Lazare station at 6 o'clock. A majority of the senators and deputies had previously preceded him. Garden Republicaines formed a guard of honor at the St. Lazare station, where barriers had been erected, owing to the enormous throng of people that had gathered outside awaiting the arrival of the new president of the republic. All the windows looking upon the station were filled with spectators. When the presidential train entered the station bugles sounded, drums beat and the troops presented arms when M. Faure emerged and entered a superb hooded carriage, which was escorted by cuirassiers. As soon as the president was seen the immense crowd shouted: "Vive la republique!" "Vive Felix Faure!" The cries were redoubled when M. Faure ordered the hood of the carriage thrown back. Hats were waved and the greatest of enthusiasm was displayed. M. Dupuy sat beside the president. The cheers of the throng massed along the footways did not cease until the carriage of the president reached the Palace of the Elysee. M. Faure constantly doffed his hat in response to the enthusiastic acclamations of the multitude.

The new president is a great shipowner and merchant of Havre. He was born in Paris Jan. 30, 1841. He served with distinction in the Franco-Prussian war, and was elected to the chamber of deputies in 1881, since which time he has been almost constantly in public life, serving in the cabinets of Premiers Gambetta, Ferry, Tirard and Dupuy, besides being elected to the chamber of deputies at different times, always defeating a Monarchist.

SOUTH CAROLINA AND ITALY.

A Controversy That May Lead to International Complications.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 18.—Governor Evans, in the course of one of the state dispensary laws, is likely to involve the country in international complications if he carries out his announced intention of seizing an Italian bark now lying in the Charleston harbor.

Several days ago Italian Consul Costello refused to allow state dispensary constables to search the bark Fortunata, it being claimed that the crew was selling liquor to persons on shore contrary to the dispensary law. The captain and mate of the vessel both deny that any liquor was sold from the vessel, but one of the constables swears that he bought wine from a member of the crew, and moreover saw numbers of negroes purchase liquors also. The vessel has not been molested pending an investigation of treaties and international laws by Attorney General Barber and Mr. W. Gibbs Whaley, of Charleston, who was requested to act with him by the governor. The governor is greatly incensed at the action of Consul Costello, and said today:

"I am satisfied in my own opinion that the consul has made himself obnoxious by his conduct; that he has gone beyond the pale of the law, and that he is simply protecting a floating barroom. He has rendered himself persona non grata to the state, and I will likely ask the United States government to have him removed." He said further that in case the attorney general's opinion coincided with his own he would seize the vessel and arrest such of the men as he thinks have been guilty of violating the laws of the state.

"She won't be allowed to leave," he continued, "until we find out what the situation is. It is coming to a pretty pass if any little scow of a foreign nation can come into this state and violate our laws with impunity, and it shall not be done. If we convict any of the officers of the boat of selling whisky I will confiscate the boat."

Brooklyn's Trolley Strike Still Unsettled.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 18.—Still the great trolley strike remains unsettled, and both the officials of the companies and the strikers claim to be sure of victory. Aside from the breaking of the strike by arbitration on the DeKalb and Franklin avenue lines of the Brooklyn and Newtown Railroad company and the running of a few cars on the Putnam avenue line of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company the situation is practically unchanged. Presidents Lewis and Norton, of the Brooklyn Heights and the Atlantic Avenue roads, respectively, stand firm. They declare that if the men wish to return to work at the old terms they may do so. If this offer is not satisfactory, the officials further state, their places will be filled by the men who are coming in from outside cities.

The Debs Case.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—In the supreme court Chief Justice Fuller announced that in the matter of the United States vs. Eugene V. Debs et al., the court was unanimously of the opinion that a writ of error would not lie, and therefore that their petition for leave to file a motion for the issue of such a writ had been denied. The petition of the same parties for leave to file a motion for the issue of a writ of habeas corpus the chief justice announced, would be granted and a rule issued thereon, returnable Monday, Jan. 28.

Stamp Thief Beach Convicted.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—William A. Beach was found guilty yesterday in the criminal court of receiving 1,000 two cent stamps stolen from the bureau of engraving and printing last summer by an employe. Beach's defense was that he did not know the stamps had been illegally obtained. The jury accompanied the verdict of guilty with a recommendation to mercy. Beach was remanded to jail pending a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment.

Delaware's Senators Chosen Legislators.

DOVER, Del., Jan. 18.—Two more ballots were taken for United States senator in joint session by the legislature. Senator Higgins received 30 votes; J. Edward Addicks, 6; George V. Massey, 3; James L. Walcott (Dem.), 9; Ellis W. Tunnell (Dem.), 1, on the first ballot. A second ballot resulted likewise. Sixteen votes are necessary to elect, and both sides claim they will hold out, even if no senator is elected.

A Tennessee Fratricide.

NASHVILLE, Jan. 18.—L. N. Williamson shot and killed his brother William near Fayetteville. The brothers have been on bad terms for some time, and William returned from Alabama a few days ago with the avowed intention of killing his brother. Before William could draw a revolver his brother sent a bullet through his heart. The slayer gave himself up.

HOT SHOT FOR TAMMANY

The Report of the Lexow Investigating Committee.

MASS OF CORRUPTION UNEARTHED.

The Charges of Corruption Brought Forth by Messrs. Goff and Parkhurst Fully Sustained—Minor Police Officials Less Corrupt Than Their Superiors.

ALBANY, Jan. 18.—The report of the Lexow investigating committee on the New York police department was presented to the legislature today. It recommends the concentration in the hands of a chief of police of all police powers, and that of suspending subordinates without pay; the establishment of a bi-partisan board of police commissioners with exclusive authority over elections and the judicial functions of the department; promotions on the force in conformity with civil service rules; reorganization of the department by commissioners, and the continuance of the committee of investigation.

The report, which is very exhaustive, opens with a statement regarding the difficulty of procuring testimony at the outset of the investigation, commends the services of Messrs. W. A. Sutherland, Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, Mr. Goff and others, and adds that the inquiry was conducted on wholly non-partisan lines. Regarding Tammany Hall it says:

It has been conclusively shown that in a very large number of election districts in the city of New York almost every conceivable crime against the elective franchise was either committed or permitted by the police, who conducted themselves at the several polling places upon the principle that they were there, not as guardians of the public peace, to enforce law and order, but for the purpose of acting as agents of Tammany Hall. They resorted to device, oppression, fraud, trickery, crime and intimidation of every conceivable character.

The evidence shows, moreover, that partisan bias did not stop with captains, but that in 1892 the president of the police board himself, just prior to the presidential election, in defiance to the superintendent of police, gave directions to the assembled captains, which, if carried into effect would have caused riot and bloodshed at the polls, and would have precipitated encounters between the police and the United States marshals.

The alliance of police captains and inferior officers with political clubs so demoralizes the force that Commissioner Martin asked the intervention of Richard Croker, a private citizen, but leader of Tammany Hall, in order to secure, through the influence of that organization, a cessation of the abuse. The same private citizen, so potent was his influence, was able by a word or command at once to shut up all the pool rooms then in full operation.

The conclusion seems irresistible that under the circumstances such as now exist in the city of New York, it becomes the paramount duty of the legislature to remove as far as practicable, the possibility of political influences securing a controlling power over the police force.

The material collected by Rev. Dr. Parkhurst and the city Vigilance League was most valuable. It is the story of months and years of struggle to compel the police department to perform its duties revealing the fact that a private organization was able to unearth, uncover and fix the actual existence of unlawful resorts, all of which had apparently escaped the eye of the police and successfully defied their resources for the detection of crime.

It discloses the additional circumstance that in the securing of evidence against such resorts and in the prosecution of keepers of disreputable houses the police were not only found to stand in actual hostility to all efforts made to suppress vice, but to solidly by and permitted citizens engaged in performing duties which they should have undertaken, to be mobbed and brutally assaulted upon the streets. It indicates the amazing condition of the precincts of the city, houses of ill repute, gambling houses, policy shops, pool rooms and unlawful resorts of a similar character being openly conducted under the eyes of the police.

The motive was the missing link in the chain of evidence. It was supposed that the motive was a financial consideration moving between the proprietors and the protectors, and the existence of this was evidence of a direct character upon the question before the legislature, but a very large amount of corroborative proof was necessarily introduced and examined unconsidered.

Enough is shown to warrant the conclusion that all of the [illegible] practices have been systematic, organized and in sympathy and collusion with the police. It is beyond a doubt that many of the poor, ignorant foreigners on the east side of the city have been subjected to a brutal and infamous rule by the police in conjunction with the administration of the local inferior courts.

The evidence of witnesses shows the existence of a powerful conspiracy in the neighborhood of Essex Market Police court headed by politicians, professional bondsmen, professional thieves, police and others who lay plots against the unwary and lead them into habits of law breaking or surround them with a network of false evidence and then demand money as the price of salvation, and if they do not receive it drag their victims into court and prison, and often to a convict's cell.

It is a significant fact that but little corruption has been traced into the pockets of the ordinary patrolman. It is probable that a large number of them have paid sums averaging $300 for appointment to the police force. It is not strange that, starting in this way, some of them have imitated the example of their superiors, and should have became victims of a most pernicious and criminal practice. Your committee, however, believes that a very large portion of the patrolmen of the city and a considerable number of the superiors are good officers and true, reliable and incorruptible men.

CHARGES OF BRIBERY.

Philadelphia Councilmen and Certain Telephone Privileges.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—A letter was addressed to the members of common and select councils by Joel J. Bailey, chairman of the Municipal Association, calling attention to the published charge that the passage of a recent ordinance granting certain privileges to a telephone company was secured by the distribution of stock in the concern among members of councils. The letter also requested that the charges be investigated. Common councils appointed a committee to investigate, but select councils adjourned without taking action. It is asserted that the course of the latter was for the purpose of trying to suppress the proposed investigation, but members of the body claim that the communication did not reach them in time.

A Judge Overrules a Jury's Verdict.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 18.—The jury in the case of C. A. Carmack vs. Doctors C. P. Scip, L. H. Willard and S. M. Rinehart brought in a verdict of $6,000 damages against Doctors Scip and Willard, and found in favor of the defendant as to Rinehart. Carmack was taken to the homeopathic hospital in 1891, suffering from a severe fracture of the leg. The three doctors named treated him, and the alleged fracture, he claimed, was not treated properly. He recently brought suit for mal practice. Judge Porter granted a new trial, stating that the verdict was against his charge to the jury and contrary to the testimony.

An Injured Wife's Claim.

NAUVOO, Ills., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Ida Smith, of this city, departed for California with a petition indorsed by prominent citizens which she will submit to the legislature of that state. She petitions for an appropriation of $10,000 as a relief for herself and two little daughters. Her husband was sent to the penitentiary for life for the murder of a San Francisco citizen. Subsequently the California supreme court decided that he was wholly innocent. Smith died the day the decision was handed down. Mrs. Smith is highly connected, being a niece of the famous Morrills, of Maine.

A Union Pacific Scheme.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 18.—A petition will be filed in St. Louis tomorrow, before Judge Sanborn, looking to the foreclosure of the first mortgage of the main line of the Union Pacific railroad. The mortgage is for $52,000,000. Senator-elect John M. Thurston, attorney for the Union Pacific receivers, will represent the government in opposition. The road is not expected to sell for the amount of the first mortgage. This will wipe out all the other indebtedness, and if carried out, the government and all other creditors will lose everything involved.

May Contest Senator Fair's Will.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The executors of Senator Fair's will offered that document for probate yesterday. Attorneys for Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, Miss Virginia Fair and Charles L. Fair, the senator's children, asked for a continuance of three weeks, which was granted. The attorneys gave the impression that a contest would be instituted, suggesting as the probable grounds mental unsoundness and undue influence.

Speaker Crisp's Ailment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Speaker Crisp by order of his doctors will be compelled to leave Washington within a day or two for about two weeks' stay at Asheville, N. C. He is suffering from some trouble of the muscles in the vicinity of the heart, and the doctors have urged him to absent himself for the remainder of the session. This he will not do unless the trouble becomes worse.

Ninety-two Men Left to Their Fate.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Owing to the masses of timber, etc., swept by the inrush of water into the Dig Lake mine, at Audley, Staffordshire, all hope of reaching the ninety-two men who did not succeed in escaping has been abandoned. From the time the disaster was first announced gangs of rescuers have been at work night and day in efforts to reach the entombed men.

An Exploding Boiler Kills Four.

ALTO, Tex., Jan. 18.—News have been received of a terrible accident at Manuel Hamilton's sawmill, seven miles east of town. The boiler exploded, resulting in the death of four men, Tobe Richards, Alexander and Will Lewis and Abner Lee. Several others had legs or arms broken or were badly scalded. All the parties are colored.

Want a Powder Magazine Removed.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 18.—The terrible explosion at Butte has greatly alarmed the people of Swansea, a suburban town where the powder magazine of the Judson company, of San Francisco, is located. The Judson company has been notified that if the magazine is not removed forthwith the people will destroy it.

Aluminum War Vessels.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Probably with a view to giving scope for the latest ideas in naval construction, Secretary Herbert has modified the advertisements for the three torpedo boats to be constructed, so as to permit of the substitution for steel of any metal or alloy in hull or machinery. It is understood that the change has been made at the instance of bidders who desire to submit proposals to build the boats of aluminum bronze. Another reason for the change may be found in some recent French experiments, which form a great saving of weight was made by the use of aluminum for hull construction.

Charged with Conspiracy.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—"Fire Inspector" Cowie was held to the grand jury under $1,500 bonds, and his co-conspirator, Chin Tin, under $500 bonds. Cowie and Chin are charged with conspiring to indict two Chinamen, Ah Hung and Hong Sling, for arson. From disclosures that were made to the court the defendants were dismissed and two witnesses were committed for trial. Cowie's title of fire inspector is a self conferred one, and he has figured prominently as the prosecuting witness in numerous arson cases.

OLNEY ON ARBITRATION.

A New Measure Devised by the Attorney General.

PREVENT STRIKES AND LOCKOUTS

By Submitting Wage Controversies to a Commission Composed of the Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and One Representative of Each Side.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A labor arbitration plan has been devised by Attorney General Olney, and was introduced yesterday by Chairman McCrary, of the house committee on labor, and is intended as a substitute for the one framed by Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright as a result of the labors of the Chicago strike commission. In several points the bill is more far reaching in its propositions than any that has been brought forward. The terms "railroad" and "employe" are defined in the bill, and the latter class includes those working on cars operated by the carrier under lease, making the carrier responsible for their acts as though they were employed directly by him. The wages paid to employes, it is stipulated, shall be reasonable and just.

In case of wage controversies the chairman of the interstate commerce commission and the commissioner of labor are to communicate with the parties endeavoring to effect an amicable settlement, and if this mediation fails the controversy may be submitted to a board of arbitration of which the chairman of the interstate commerce commission shall be chairman, and which shall consist also of one commissioner chosen by the employer and one by the labor organization to which the employes interested belong. Where two or more classes of employes are interested their organizations shall agree upon their representative.

Other features are: The parties shall stipulate in writing, that pending the arbitration, the existing status shall not be changed. The award shall be final unless set aside for error of law apparent on the record. The parties shall faithfully execute it, and it may be enforced in equity so far as the powers of a court of equity permit. Employes dissatisfied with the award shall not quit work without three months notice in writing. The award shall be continued in force for two years, and during that period no new arbitration between the same parties on the same subject shall be had.

After filing the award with the clerk of the United States circuit court of the district in which the difficulty occurs thirty days shall be allowed for filing exceptions in matters of law, after which it shall go into effect if no exceptions are taken. If they are taken it goes into force ten days after their decision.

If an agreement of arbitration shall be entered into by employes individually, instead of organizations, the board shall not be created unless the chairman is satisfied that they represent their associates. During that time it will be unlawful for organizations or employes to order, aid or abet a strike or a boycott, or to leave their employment without giving thirty days notice in writing, nor can they be discharged without thirty days notice, except for causes mentioned. Violations of this provision are made a misdemeanor punishable by $1,000 fine or one year's imprisonment.

Membership in incorporated labor organizations, it is provided, shall be terminated by indulgence in lawlessness, violence, destruction of property, intimidation or threats by members during strikes, but they are not to be held individually liable for debts of the organization.

The employes of roads managed by receivers appointed by the federal courts shall have the right to be heard through the officers of their organizations or their representatives in the courts.

Employers who make it a condition of employment that men shall not be members of any labor organization or discharge or threaten to discharge men for such membership, or discriminate against them because of it, or enter into contracts compelling the men to contribute to any funds for charitable, social or beneficial objects, or if discharging men conspire to prevent them from obtaining employment elsewhere, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of from $100 to $1,000.

If disputes threatening to injuriously affect the interest of the people of any section are not submitted to arbitration the attorney general is authorized to apply to the district court for receivers for the railroad, to take possession of the property and run it in the interest of the public.

Three Killed by a Snowslide.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 18.—A snowslide about ten miles from Kalso, B. C., killed three miners named Moore, McMillan and Mitchell, owners of the Kansas mine, who were on their way to the mine from Kalso. Two miners working on the Silverton mine, in the slide's path, are also missing.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

A cyclone visited the vicinity of San Miguel, Cal., yesterday. Robert Peck was killed by a flying tree.

A dispatch from Peking says that the Chinese General Wei, accused of cowardice was beheaded yesterday.

The lower house of Nebraska's legislature tabled, by a vote of 62 to 28, a resolution calling for the free coinage of silver.

Thomas J. O'Brien, of Morristown, N. J., has been appointed assistant United States attorney for the district of New Jersey.

The public prosecutor of Milan, Italy, was stabbed in his office by an anarchist, and died instantly. The murderer was arrested.

The Idaho legislature passed a resolution to submit a woman suffrage amendment at the next general election. It will be signed at once.

A bill introduced in the Tennessee legislature provides that any person convicted of rape or attempted rape, whether sentenced to death or not, shall be completely castrated by a competent surgeon.

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"It's Cruel

for them not to give you Pearline for your washing. Your folks can't know much about it. My! They could save their money, and all your hard work besides. I'm thankful the lady I live with is just the other way. She knows what Pearline will do, and she wants it. She'd never let me lose my time trying to get things clean with soap—and she wouldn't stand it to have her clothes all worn out with rubbing, either."

That's the truth. The lack of Pearline comes just as hard on the mistress' clothes as it does on the laundress' back.

Send it Back Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—*send it back.* 437 JAMES PYLE, New York.

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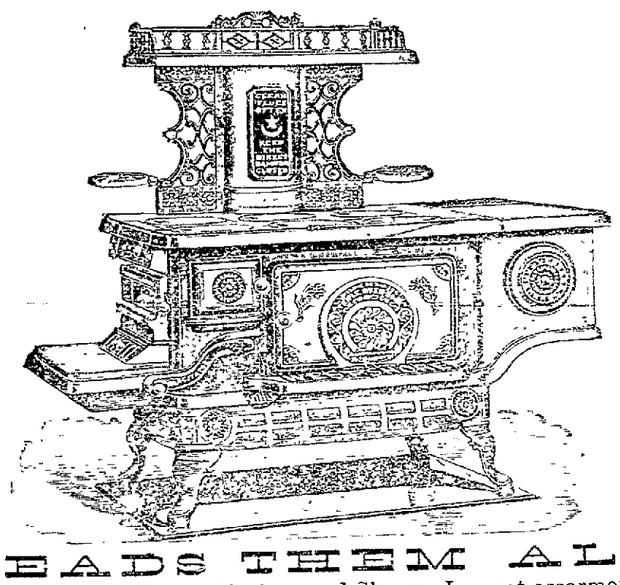

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MAKING TURPENTINE

AN EXTENSIVE INDUSTRY IN CERTAIN SOUTHERN STATES.

How the Trees Are Tapped and the Resinous Gum Gathered. Departments and Divisions in the Work All Under the Keen Eye of the "Hacker."

Dr. Bet was [illegible] a fruitful field among the "Tar Heels" of the Carolinas, Alabama and Georgia. In the cool depths of the [illegible] woods with the gashed trees [illegible] their sappy gum, the hacker and the picturesque "dippers," "scrapers" and "setters" with the [illegible] "rider" was being [illegible] a phase in southern life which has been the delight of authors and the despair of artists. The crudity of the negro's ways and the stills used in making turpentine and resin lend additional [illegible] to this old industry, and [illegible] habits of the turpentiner [illegible] to their ragged, illiterate [illegible].

Turpentine is the distilled gum of the pine trees of North and South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia and part of Florida. The season begins when the first spring sap rises and ends when cold weather checks the flow of the tree's blood. In January or February the "hacker," with his keen bladed ax, begins the round which ends with the season. He is the expert of the woods and knows his trees and just how much hacking they will stand. His task is to cut the "boxes" in which the thick gum of the wounded tree will collect. A box is a wide incision about six inches deep, a wedge shaped cut in the tree, and he hacks from 90 to 100 boxes a day. The first boxes are cut near the roots of the tree, and they are cut as close together to the height of a man's head as can be done without killing the pine. The hacker leaves a width of bark between each box so as to preserve the vitality of the tree. When the trees are leased to the turpentine makers, the terms of the lease limit the number of boxes to each tree, but when it is desired to work the pine to the fullest extent the gashes are carried up to a height of 20 feet or more.

After the hacker comes the man who "corners" the boxes. This "corner" is a cut in the top of the box to guide the sap into the cavities left for the gum, and the man who "works" the "crop" goes systematically from box to box, starting the sap anew with fresh incisions, working in this way 10,000 boxes during the season. The sap or gum fills the boxes with a clear, sticky, thick fluid, and this is removed by the "dipper." Scattered through the woods are barrels in which the "dipper" deposits the gum, which is then hauled to the still. About a quart of sap is taken from each box by means of the trowel shaped scoop used by the dipper, and then the hacker comes along and starts the flow afresh by wounding the tree again. The turpentine maker watches his men closely, for the Tar Heels are an easy going people and require to be urged by the "rider," who goes through the woods on horseback examining the crop, hurrying the dippers and hackers and sending the barreled gum to the still.

The first or "virgin" sap which flows in the spring makes the best rosin, and the poorest is the product of the hardened gum which is left on the sides of the boxes when the sap "turns down" in the fall. This is removed by the "scraper," who moves through the woods with his scraping tool, gathering the leavings.

The still is a large copper vat hooded with a close fitting cover in which is a funnel which in turn is connected with the "worm" of the still. This worm runs down into another vat near at hand, and in this vat the fumes or vapor of the heated gum is distilled into turpentine. Fire under the copper vat heats the gum, and the volatile parts rise to the funnel, pass into the still and are condensed by the water in the second vat into spirits of turpentine. The residuum left in the vat is the rosin of commerce, which is passed through a series of strainers and sieves to the barrels, which are made on the spot. The turpentine, however, cannot be barreled so easily, for it will work through an ordinary barrel. It is placed in white pine barrels which have been coated inside with several coats of strong, hot glue until the barrel is impervious to the subtle fluid.

The trees are worked for five or six seasons, and then the turpentine maker moves to another part of the woods. He started in North Carolina, crossed over to South Carolina and is still moving toward the gulf. Forest fires destroy the pines faster than the hacker does, for the flames sweep over large areas before they die out. Careful owners of turpentine woods have the pine straw and fallen underbrush taken away from their trees before the season begins, and collecting this material in some safe spot wait for a quiet day when no wind will cool the wet finger, and then they burn the rakings.

Negroes are common laborers of the turpentine woods, but white men are plentiful. They live in rough shanties in the woods, with the stables for the mules and horses near at hand. No work is more healthful than turpentine making, for it is all out of doors in the depths of the balmy, health giving pines, free from the malaria of the swamps and from sudden changes of weather.—Chicago Record.

Horsepower.

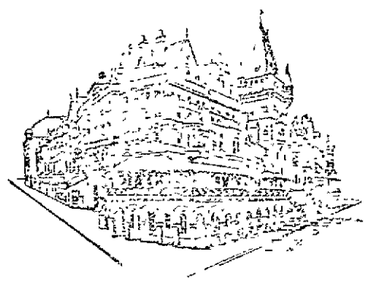
The difference between nominal, indicated and effective horsepower often puzzles people. Nominal horsepower is an assumed quantity, used for the convenience of makers and buyers in describing the dimensions of the engines. Indicated horsepower is the amount shown by computations of the indicator diagram. Effective or actual horsepower is the work an engine can do or the difference between the indicated horsepower and the horsepower required to drive the engine when unloaded.—New York Tribune.

HISTORIC VIENNA IN CHICAGO.

Proposed Amusement Enterprise With the Largest Auditorium in the World.

Jealous critics of Chicago, who have heretofore decked that she has taken in the entire state of Illinois, now declare that she proposes to annex Vienna. Every fair minded person knows the first statement is untrue, but there is something in the second charge. Chicago, however, does not want the whole of Vienna. All she desires is the historic part, and this will be reproduced in a series of colossal structures called "Historic Vienna" and resembling but far surpassing, the "Old Vienna" of World's Fair fame. The design is the work of World's fair architects, influential Chicago capitalists are behind the scheme, and a site with a frontage of 277 feet on North Clark street and 151 feet on Locust street has already been leased for 99 years.

Upon this site Historic Vienna will be erected in the near future. The architecture will be the renaissance mingled with the old German, as in vogue in Vienna. The particular scene that will be reproduced is the famous Mehlmarket, or flour market. The height of the buildings will be five and six stories, and on the Clark street side the structures will be entered by the old city gate closely resembling the "Donnergassel" of the Mehlmarket. Exterior and interior will be picturesque and romantic in the extreme.



THE PROPOSED "HISTORIC VIENNA."

The leading feature of Historic Vienna will be a monster auditorium resembling Royal Albert hall, London, in some respects, and Richard Wagner's Grand Festival hall, Baireuth, in others. The idea is to make it the greatest auditorium in the world, and the plans call for a seating capacity of 12,000. Royal Albert hall, the largest in Europe, seats only 8,000 people. The Chicago Auditorium seats 4,000, and Madison Square Garden, in New York, has accommodations for 9,000. The auditorium of Historic Vienna will consequently be a record breaker in seating capacity and is designed to draw the great music festivals of America to Chicago.

In the buildings will be a model hotel, 13 stories, a Vienna cafe, numerous amusement rooms and a permanent winter palm garden. With the aid of this hall Chicago expects to become the America Mecca of music, art and education.

HE MAY BECOME POPE.

Career of Cardinal Galimberti, Who Is Such a Power In Rome.

If he lives, Pope Leo XIII will have reached the advanced age of 85 years on March 2, and as one so old must be near the end of life's journey there is considerable speculation as to his probable successor. A candidate who will doubtless receive many votes when the sacred college meets after Leo XIII's death is Cardinal Luigi Galimberti, whose rise to fame, power and the favor of the pope has been very rapid. A dozen years ago Cardinal Galimberti was the director of The Moniteur de Rome, a paper he had just founded with the approval of the pope. He was a thorough newspaper man and cut "copy," blue penciled manuscript, used the paste pot and scissors with a dexterity born of experience and soothed his nerves by smoking a pipe. His paper was subsidized by the pope and was a success, despite his rather eccentric manner of discontinuing publication during the summer months because "it was so hot in Rome no one wished to read newspapers."

In 1887 his tact and great ability had won for him the responsible post of assistant to Cardinal Jacobini, secretary

LUIGI GALIMBERTI.

of state, and as the cardinal was at death's door many matters of grave import were necessarily confided to Mgr. Galimberti by the pope, who speedily became very favorably impressed with his erudition and sound judgment. The letter Cardinal Jacobini signed, pledging Rome's support to Bismarck on the eve of his historic battle for his army bill, was written by Mgr. Galimberti, it is said.

After the death of Cardinal Jacobini the pope sent Mgr. Galimberti to represent him at the fetes in honor of the aged Emperor William's jubilee. On his return he was made a nuncio and an archbishop, and after a successful mission in Austria he was elevated to the purple, becoming a cardinal and a prospective candidate for the papal chair. He is high in the favor of the pope and is considered one of the most powerful factors in church politics in Rome. If he is not chosen pope, he will without doubt have much to say as to who shall be the successful candidate.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

MOTHERS, Do You Know that Paregoric, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, many so-called Soothing Syrups, and most remedies for children are composed of opium or morphine?

Do You Know that opium and morphine are stupefying narcotic poisons?

Do You Know that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons?

Do You Know that you should not permit any medicine to be given your child unless you or your physician know of what it is composed?

Do You Know that Castoria is a purely vegetable preparation, and that a list of its ingredients is published with every bottle?

Do You Know that Castoria is the prescription of the famous Dr. Samuel Pitcher That it has been in use for nearly thirty years, and that more Castoria is now sold than of all other remedies for children combined?

Do You Know that the Patent Office Department of the United States, and of other countries, have issued exclusive right to Dr. Pitcher and his assigns to use the word "**Castoria**" and its formula, and that to imitate them is a state prison offense?

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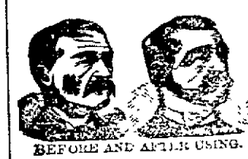

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Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

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ROCKLAND.

Odd Fellows' Installation—Death—Revival Meetings—Donation—A Wedding in Prospect—More Diphtheria—Would Not Work Sundays.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—J. H. Horner, D. D. G. M., installed the newly elected officers of Rockland Lodge, No. 543, I. O. O. F., Jan. 11, 1895, as follows:

N. G.—Geo. H. Hawkins.
V. G.—Wm. G. Signor.
Secretary—A. J. Reed.
Treasurer—J. W. Johnson.
Warden—Wm. Mauer.
Conductor—Wm. Youmans.
R. S. N. G.—Ahira Green.
L. S. N. G.—Austin Bussey.
R. S. V. G.—Thos. McAdams.
L. S. V. G.—James Tiffney.
R. S.—Alex Cairns.
L. S.—Axford Tiffney.
I. G.—John Dreiher.
Chaplain—John G. Schindler.
P. G.—Lee Barnhart.

—Mrs. Jennette Francisco, widow of the late Delancey Francisco, of Downsville, died Tuesday morning, aged about seventy-eight years. She was the mother of Mrs. D. S. Gilett and sister of Thomas and Henry Davidson, of this place. The funeral took place, Thursday, at Downsville.

—The three churches of this place are holding union revival meetings, assisted by the Rev. Geo. Clark, of Ocean Grove. This week the meetings are being held in the Presbyterian Church and next week they will be held in the Congregational Church. A number have expressed a desire to live a better life. Let the good work go on.

—Chas. Tupper, of Binghamton, has been spending a few days visiting his brother, Will, of this place.

—A donation party was held at the home of Jay Davidson, Tuesday night, for the benefit of Rev. A. H. Haynes. The proceeds were $30. All had a good time.

—If reports are true there will be a wedding in Rockland in the near future, at which a Middletown young man will be the groom.

—That dread disease diphtheria has again broken out in the family of Thomas Lindsay, down the Beaverkill. His oldest girl is suffering from a second attack.

—Mr. N. J. Rulenson, who has been foreman at the Spring Brook Chemical Works, for a long time, is about to leave and go to Binghamton. The cause of his leaving is that the company wanted him to work Sundays, which he refused to do. Everybody regrets to see Mr. Rulenson leave the place as he is a man in every sense of the word.

—John Townsend, tax collector, will sit at the Ed. Keener hotel at Roscoe, Saturday, Jan. 19th. Remember death and taxes are sure.

LIVINGSTON MANOR.

Acid Factory May Shut Down—Fire at the Turning Works—Well Stocked With Wood and Logs—In Hard Luck.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—It is rumored that the acid factory at DeBruce will be closed and work will be suspended about the first of the month.

—The Livingston Manor Manufacturing Company's factory caught fire, Monday night, about 8:33 o'clock, and was damaged to the amount of $1,000. The fire caught in the finishing and polishing room, near where a fire started about a year ago. Mr. Sherwood had just got the building completed and was ready to commence polishing ball bats, as he had a large order to fill. The damage will be repaired right away. There was no insurance on the building or contents, so the loss is total. Livingston Manor Hose Co., responded promptly to the alarm which was given by the three engines laying in the yard at this place.

—The yard at the acid factory at this place, is already nearly filled with wood.

—The saw mills in this section are getting in a large stock of logs.

—J. G. Stevens lost one of his horses last Monday; he also lost his gold watch Monday night, while he was at the fire.

MONTICELLO.

Improvements to Hotel Rockwell—Sickness and Death.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Mr. Tillinghast, proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, who has been dangerously ill, is slowly recovering.

—Stephen Smith, a painter by trade, died in this village, Monday night, after a short illness.

—George W. Rockwell, proprietor of the Hotel Rockwell, is making extensive repairs to that very popular hotel, which when completed will add very much to the comfort and convenience of his guests. Mr. Goble, of Port Jervis, has charge of the work.

—The death of Mrs. Fred Newkirk in Brooklyn caused much sorrow among her friends here. She was a very estimable lady.

—Mr. James Crowley, whose barn was burned, Monday night, had but very little insurance; therefore his loss is very considerable.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia; radical cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. Seventy-five cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown.

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Paine's celery compound, the wonderful remedy that makes people well, is beyond question the most reliable production of modern medical science.

Nobody disputes it.

From the day it was first prescribed by that most eminent of American physicians, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, it has been recommended, prescribed and its merits extolled by the ablest of physicians. The best medical journals have devoted almost unlimited space to the cures it has effected.

The daily press of the large cities has contained account after account of remarkable cases of "health restored by Paine's celery compound."

Some of the most famous men and women in the country have very recently authorized the publication of their unsolicited testimonials. They or their physicians have frankly told how, when all else had failed, Paine's celery compound made them well.

The Boston Herald has just devoted a page or more to interviews with prominent men and women in that city who have been made well the past year by Paine's celery compound.

There are many in Middletown whom it has cured of serious illness.

Paine's celery compound is the one specific for those nervous disorders, indigestion, neuralgia and rheumatism, for heart trouble, lassitude, sleeplessness, from which men and women in this climate too generally suffer.

It cures not only speedily but permanently. It supplies the nerves with food; it makes new blood; it removes the cause of disease. Mrs. H. G. Danoids of Rochester, N. Y. whose portrait is given above, writes thus of her experience:

"Last spring," she says, "I had a severe attack of muscular rheumatism. At last I used a good deal of liniment, which gave me some relief, but it finally settled in my feet, making me a hobbling cripple. I then began using Paine's celery compound and the second bottle cured me completely, so now I am a walking advertisment, and recommend Paine's celery compound most cheerfully. I can heartily recommend it, as an invaluable remedy, to all who are afflicted, and shall always keep it in the house to use in case of need."

Testimonials might be published by hundreds. They all go to show that for any of those complaints that arise from an impaired nervous system it should invariably be taken—for it makes people well.

Shortsightedness.

To waste money on vile, dirty, water mixtures, compounded by inexperienced persons, when you have the opportunity of testing Otto's Cure free of charge. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough when J. J. Chambers, of 21 West Main street, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Hold a bottle of Otto's Cure to the light and observe its beautiful golden color and thick heavy syrup. Largest packages and purest goods. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.

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of Typhoid Fever, La Grippe, Pneumonia and Kindred diseases, are as dangerous as the maladies themselves. Flesh and strength gone the creeping to health is slow and tedious, and with dangers that menace life in almost as great a degree as the disease itself.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was taken down with pneumonia, succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at McMonagle and Rogers' Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

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Have you been trying to get the best out of existence without health in your family? Have you been wearing out your life from the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion? Are you sleepless at night? Do you awake in the morning feeling languid, with coated tongue and sallow, haggard looks? Don't do it. A shout in the camp tells how Bacon's Celery King has cured others; it will cure you. Trial package free. Large sizes 50c. and 25c., at J. J Chambers 21 West Main street.

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Lots of other goods at greatly reduced prices. Follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S,
43 North St.

Orange Co. Trust and safe Deposit Co

Interest is paid on accounts left for that purpose, under the rules of this company, from date of deposit.

Deposits made on or before January 10th, draw interest from the first.

Boxes in Safe Deposit Vault rented on reasonable terms.

M. D. STIVERS, President.
FRANK HARDING, Sec. and Treas
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Chestnut Coal!

$4.70

In the Yard. All Screened.

I. B. A. TAYLOR & CO.,

CORNER MILL AND MAIN STREETS.

60 Packages of Butter

18 to 55 pounds each, at

16 TO 23c. A LB. BY THE PACKAGE.

Large cans California peaches, apricots and plums 2 cans 25 cents, white cherries 16c. per can, pears 10c., good cheese 9c. per pound, best pure cream cheese 16c., good oyster and soda crackers 6c. per pound, figs 10c., best layer 15c., 5 gallon galvanized iron oil can, with faucet 75c.; with pump, $1.25; best New Orleans molasses, syrup, both cane and maple; map.e sugar 12c. per pound at

W. H. FOSTER'S

NO. 30 EAST MAIN STREET.

Six Days in Every Week

I RECEIVE

FRESH EGGS!

FROM FARMERS AT

The South Side Store,

ACADEMY AVE. AND GENUNG ST.

J. E. CAMPBELL.

IN pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of David Beattie, late of the town of Wallkill, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased at the office of Geo. H. Decker, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 25th day of April next.

THOMAS C. BEATTIE, Executor.
Dated Oct. 25th, 1894. dewThu mApr27

LOST!

What? Confidence.

Most people have lost all faith in Clothing Advertisements, because they have been deceived so many times, by unscrupulous merchants, that we only wish to say that what we advertise will be

FOUND!

Honest Talk, No Deception.

To convince you of this fact we give you the privilege of returning any garment you buy from us if you're not pleased with it and get your money back pleasantly. Further, we wish to say we are selling Men's Suits and Overcoats, from $5 up, that will open your eyes Men's, Boys', Youths' and Children's Clothing must go now regardless of cost. Call in, examine our bargains before you buy.

A. J. CAHILL 34 NORTH STREET

One Price Clothier. 34 North Street.

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Delivered by carriers in any part of the city, or mailed to any part of the United States.
TERMS: 1 Month, 50 cents, 3 months, 50 cents, 6 months, $1 00, 1 year, $3 00

THE SEMI-WEEKLY MERCURY
ISSUED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.
TERMS—$1 00 Per Year, 75c for 6 Months

THE EXTENSIVE BONA-FIDE CIRCULATION of the Argus and Mercury makes them excellent advertising mediums. Rates on application.

Our Job Printing Department
is noted for first class work. Prices very reasonable

FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1895.

Ex-Speaker Reed, in a recent debate, taunted the Democrats of the House of Representatives with their failure to agree on a plan of financial legislation and, after declaring that the only financial legislation necessary was to increase the revenues $5,000,000 a month, went on to say in effect that Republicans could not be expected to propose measures for the relief of the Treasury or help in their enactment, because they are not now in control of the legislative or executive departments of the Government. A lower standard of public duty was never enunciated even by Mr. Reed, who always puts party before country. And what he says about the revenues lays open the whole question of responsibility for the Government's financial straits. When the Republicans came into power with President Harrison, they found the revenues in excess of the country's needs and a large surplus in the treasury. They squandered the surplus by extravagant appropriations, reduced the revenues by the prohibitory duties of the McKinley bill and turned the Government over to the Democrats in 1893 with a bankrupt treasury. The new tariff is yielding revenues very much in excess of those of the McKinley law, but they are not equal to the treasury's needs. It was easier for Republicans to destroy a revenue producing tariff, than for Democrats to make one.

FEASTING ON DUCKS

The Virginia Duck Hunters and Their Friends Fare Sumptuously.

The members of the duck hunting party, who recently returned from Virginia with "dead loads" of ducks, geese and swans, and about twenty of their friends feasted on the hunters' spoil at Capt. Totten's restaurant, last night. After the feast Recorder Bradner entertained the company with a veracious account of the misadventures of two members of the party, whom he designated as Rain-in-the-Face and his squaw. His Honor fairly outdid himself and his narrative was so very funny that some of those who heard it have not done laughing yet.

Funeral of John McPhillips.

The funeral of John McPhillips took place at St Joseph's Church, at 10 o'clock, to day, a requiem mass being celebrated by Rev. Father Butler The attendance was large.

Middletown Division, A. O. H., of which the deceased was a member attended in a body, there being forty-two members in line.

The pall bearers were Messrs. John Cutin, Wm. Costello, Patrick O'Neil, Luke Walsh, Edward O'Brien and Edward Lawler

County Officials Get a Cold Bath.

County Judge Geo H. Smith and County Clerk Geo O. Fraser, of Monticello while fishing through the ice on Big Pond in the town of Bethel, Wednesday, broke through a thin spot in the ice and had a very narrow escape from drowning. Mr Fraser being alone could not succeed when Judge Smith succeeded in helping him out

Bicyclers Eat Duck

President Chas Higham and Vice President Geo M. Minsinaugh, of the Middletown Wheelmen's Club, gave a duck dinner to nine or ten members of the club at the Commercial Hotel, last evening.

The boys are loud in their praise of their hosts and also of North Carolina ducks.

Ontario and Western Earnings

The Ontario and Western reports earnings of $52,724 for the second week in January, as against $57,260 in the corresponding week in '94 and $55,571 in '93

Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, and in this way positively cures catarrh.

TRY THE DAILY ARGUS. 30 cents per month

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

MILITIA MAY BE CALLED OUT

Brooklyn's Striking Trolleymen Growing More Violent—Non-Union Men Fired at—Situation Very Critical

BY UNITED PRESS.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 18.—The situation is more critical than at any time since the strike began. The strikers seem to be growing desperate and many attacks have been made on non-union men. Most of the companies sent out cars and, despite police protection the windows were broken and the motormen and conductors stoned.

At one point on Court street, several shots were fired at a car. Two bullets went through the window and the non union crew abandoned the car. When the news of the shooting spread many of the new men employed by the companies left.

Mayor Shieren says the police force is not adequate to protect the railroads and he is consulting as to the advisability of asking the Governor for military aid.

A committee of citizens called on the Mayor, this morning, and complained that while the police were on duty along the railroads the lives and property of citizens were left without protection.

The Board of Arbitration has abandoned all hope of settling the strike.

DOWN IN A COAL MINE.

A Section of the Lehigh Valley Track and Several Cars Disappear In the Ground.

BY UNITED PRESS.

HAZELTON, Jan 18. The Lehigh Valley tracks dropped into a coal mine, this morning, as a Pennsylvania freight train was passing over it. The engine just cleared the brink but the tender and several cars sank out of sight, six other cars were wrecked. The greatest excitement prevails in the vicinity. A passenger train just missed being drawn into the hole.

OBITUARY.

John B. Smith.

President John B. Smith, of the Erie and Wyoming Valley R. R., died at his home in Dunmore, Wednesday. Mr. Smith was born in Sullivan county in 1831 and entered the service of the D. and H. Canal Co. in 1851 as a machinist. From 1880 to 1886 he was General Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad. In 1886 he became President of the Erie and Wyoming Valley Coal Co. and retained that position until the time of his death.

Hon. Thornton M. Niven

A special dispatch to the DAILY ARGUS, received this afternoon, announces the death of Hon. Thornton M. Niven, which occurred yesterday, at his home in Hackensack, N. J. Mr. Niven was a native of Newburgh, and for a number of years prior to 1860, lived in Bloomingburgh. He was a brother of the late Gen. A. C. Niven, of Monticello. He was in his ninetieth year.

Lewis Holbert Tyler

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

Lewis Holbert Tyler died at his home, in St. Augustine, Florida, Jan 9. His remains will be brought north and laid in the family cemetery near Binghamton, N. Y.

He was born near Centreville, Orange county, Dec. 21, 1819, and was therefore seventy-five years old last Christmas.

His boyhoood was spent in Wawayanda, and as teacher and merchant he was known to many, years ago. Much of his life was in the mercantile line in Indiana and New York city.

—For the past few years he has been quite an invalid. He was a man who won the esteem of those with whom he became intimate.

Lower Prices for Milk.

Milk being in abundant supply and some of the creameries not having a market for all that they receive, the Milk Exchange, this week, knocked off a quarter of a cent on the price, making it two and three-fourth cents a quart.

A Clothing Factory for Ellenville

The rink building in Ellenville has been rented by a firm of New York clothing manufacturers, who propose to carry on business on an extensive scale, giving employment to all the help that offers and proves itself competent.

A Pleasant Social Party.

Misses Franc and Flo Wilkin gave a party, last evening, to about twenty five of their friends, at the residence of their grandfather, G O Hulse, Esq, on East Main street.

The time was pleasantly spent at card playing and dancing. Mrs. Andrus presided at the piano

Death of Eagle Hose Co's Teddy.

While Eagle Hose Company's steam was being exercised on Highland avenue, this afternoon, the company's dog, Teddy, jumped out of the sleigh, in front of the runners, which passed over him, killing him instantly Teddy was a great favorite with the Eagle boys and his death will be sincerely mourned

The Drum Corps' Ball.

The ball of DeWitt Camp Drum Corps at the Assembly Rooms, last evening, was well attended and was a very pleasant affair. Halstead's orchestra furnished the music.

WANTS $5 000 FOR ALLEGED LIBEL

Alderman Kelley's Suit Against the Newburgh Register in the Jury's Hands.

The trial of the suit of Alderman William H. Kelley, of Newburgh, against F. A. Willard, of the Newburgh *Register*, to recover $5,000 for alleged libel, was begun in the Supreme Court in Newburgh, yesterday afternoon, and the case was given to the jury at 2:45, this afternoon. The verdict has not yet been rendered.

The alleged libelous articles were published in April last, at the time the *Register* was fighting the scheme to spend $50,000 more than had already been appropriated in transforming the Bazzoni building into a city hall. Mr. Kelley was sponsor for the scheme and in attacking and defeating it, the *Register* stepped heavily on Mr. Kelley's toes, hence the suit.

THE NEW PARK.

Located at the Junction of South Street and East Avenue.

Middletown is to have a new park, the land for same having been deeded to the city by J. H. Galloway, J. Charles Schwartz and Chas. H. Smith, the consideration being the payment by the city of the assessments against the property on account of the South street sewer.

The land is a triangle, formed by the junction of South street and East avenue, on Bennett Hill. The sides of the triangle are each about 130 feet long. A portion of the land taken will be used for widening South street at that point.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Jan 18, '95

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	90⅞	89⅝	90⅜
A T & S F	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
C B & Q	73⅛	71⅞	72
Chicago Gas	75⅝	73⅝	74¾
D. L. & W.	166⅝	163⅝	164
Dis & Cat. F	11	10½	11
Erie	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝
General Electric	34⅞	34⅛	34⅜
L & N	56⅜	55⅛	55⅝
L S	140⅝	139¾	139¾
M. P.	24¾	23⅝	23⅝
N Y. & N. E.	32⅞	32¾	32⅞
N. Y. C.	100	100	100
N W.	97	96⅜	96⅜
N. P. Pfd	18⅝	18⅜	18⅜
O & W	17	16⅜	16⅜
Manhattan	108¾	107⅝	108⅜
Southern R'y	10⅝	10⅛	10⅜
P. & R.	13⅜	12⅞	13⅜
R. I.	64¼	63⅞	63⅞
C. M. & St. P.	57	55⅝	56⅞
U. P.	11⅛	11	11
W. Union	88	88	88
U S Cordage	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
Nat. Lead	38	37⅛	37⅜
May Wheat	57⅜	57⅛	57⅜
May Corn	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛
May Pork	$11 55	$11 40	$11 47
May Lard	6 87	6 82	6 85

MARRIED.

HOOK—RICHARDSON—In this city, Jan 16th, '95, by Rev. Chas. Beattie, Samuel H. Hock and Sarah J. Richardson, both of New Hampton

McCOY—STOLL—At Warwick, Jan. 2d. '95, by Rev H Dutcher, J. Frank McCoy, of Wantage, N. J., and Luella C Stoll, of Montague, N J

It Is Not What We Say

But what Hood's Sarsaparilla Does That Tells the Story—

Hood's Cures

Mr. L. R. Frets
New York City.

In Misery With Dyspepsia

Distress in the Stomach—Tired and Nervous.

"C. I. Hood & Co, Lowell, Mass.:
"I was in misery with dyspepsia. Sometimes I had no appetite, and when I did eat a hearty meal I felt much distress for hours after. I did not seem to have any ambition, was restless at night and in the morning tired and nervous. My digestion was irregular and unsatisfactory. My wife urged me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the result is that I have

Never Felt Better

in all my life than now. I have gained 9 lbs and am free from dyspeptic symptoms. I can eat a hearty meal with good relish." LOUIS R. FRETZ, 1721 Amsterdam Ave, New York City.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick headache. 25c.

65 Cts. a Bush.

FOR

POTATOES.

-SLOAT'S-

Cash Store.

CARSON & TOWNER.

WE ARE MAKING LOW PRICES

on BLANKETS.

Flannel Underwear, Dress Goods, Etc.

It will be to your advantage to look through our stock.

We offer one lot of gents' extra heavy, all wool, regular make Shirts and Drawers at $1 95 each, former price $3 to $4

See us for Muslins. They are very low in price.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY!

From now until after we take inventory, we will make a big cut in prices in every department in order to close out our winter stock and make room for spring goods

Now is Your Time!

We want the money and room and you want the goods

OVERCOATS, ULSTER COATS, SUITS AND EXTRA PANTALOONS!

for men, youths, boys and children; Underwear, Cardigan Jackets, Jersey Coats, Hats, Caps, Fur Caps and Fur Gloves; complete stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Merchant Tailoring Department

Now is your time to order a Suit, Overcoat or Extra Trousers Our men want the work, and will make special inducements to buyers. Good assortment of Cloths, foreign and domestic manufacture All are invited to call on

JOHN E. ADAMS,

Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher, No. 41 North Street, Middletown

EXTRAORDINARY VALUE

IS

The Rule in Our Various Departments, This Week.

In Muslins we show
1 bale Brown Sheeting 5 cts. a yard, extra quality.
1 bale Brown Sheeting 6c., the best.
Lonsdale Bleached Muslin 7 cts. per yard—at any time and in any quantity.
Ready-made Sheets and Pillow Cases at the price of the material.
Ladies' Ribbed Underwear, long and short sleeves, 16c.
Black Fleeced Hose, fast colors, 3 pairs for 25c.
1 case Ginghams, 2 to 10 yards, 4 cents.
1 case Ginghams 5c.
Do you need Table Linen or Towels? In this department we lead Come and see.
We open, to-day, 5 lots of Dress Goods—7 1-2, 12 1-2, 16, 25, 45c.
Bargains all.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,

39 NORTH ST

SAMUEL LIPFELD,

25 North St.

Grand Clearing Sale.

Owing to the great reductions made by reason of the NEW TARIFF, we have determined to clear up our entire stock OF

Men's, Youths' and Children's Suits

AND

OVERCOATS

ALSO ALL OUR

Heavy Weight Underwear

now on hand, so as to enable us to present, for next season, an entire new stock

We will sell goods now on hand at an unheard of reduction;

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere

SAMUEL LIPFELD,

25 North St. 25 North St.

HANFORD & HORTON.

GOOD THINGS

in writing paper that always suit.

Are you using them?

Our Irish Linen Paper at 32c. a pound.

Our Bargain Box of 60 sheets and envelopes only 38c.

Rich Cream Box, usual quantity, a 25c. box.

Other box papers from 6 cents up. Hurd's, Crane's and Whiting's Fine Stationery in correct styles.

Seals and Sealing Wax in all colors.

Hanford & Horton's Black Ink stays black.

Hanford & Horton,

6 North Street.

Men's Buckle Arctics

$1.00.

JOHN BRADLEY,

57 NORTH ST.

Midway Park Restaurant

now open to the public

DINNER AND LUNCHEON PARTIES PROVIDED FOR.

Assembly Rooms for Balls and Parties.

J. GUNTHER,

Masonic Building, 59 North St

You can get a feather bed renovated and returned in less than three hours at the Middletown Steam Carpet Cleaning Works, corner Fulton St. and Sprague Ave

E. H. GREGORY.

TRY THE DAILY ARGUS. 30 cents per month

FOR SALE.

Ferndale Farm and Mills, 6 miles from Newburgh, 14 acres best land, very valuable water power, good saw mill, large grist mill, nice residence, 9 rooms, cistern, cellar, etc.; good farm house, 6 rooms; large new barn, poultry house, sheds, etc.; young orchard, 250 barrels last year, abundance of berries and small fruits; small lake controlled by property; 3 minutes to church, store, school, postoffice; Newburgh stage passes the house twice daily. Would exchange for Middletown property, or farm near Middletown Call or address

GARDNER & M'WILLIAMS,

56 NORTH ST. MIDDLETOWN.

Tip for 1895.

Don't buy a Suit or Overcoat until you have seen our stock and gotten prices.

Custom Department.

In order to keep our men busy for the next 60 days we will make Suits and Overcoats to order for CASH without profit.

Geo. W. Young, Clothier,

Custom and Ready-Made Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, 16 and 18 East Main street.

Co-Operative Building Bank.

Home Office 309 Broadway, New York City

Loans money to buy or build homes in amounts from $1,000 to $10,000 to be paid for by monthly installments same as rent.

The Co-Operative Building Bank has nearly 200 branch offices in New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maryland and District of Columbia. It now has nearly $700,000 already loaned on first mortgages. $13 67 per month pays for a seven-room house in about nine years. $5 per month invested in the Co-Operative Building Bank Thirty Day Installment Stock, as an investment, will net the holder $1,000 in about nine years.

The above bank has a branch office in Middletown, with offices in Central Building, corner North street and Railroad avenue, and are prepared to loan money immediately on good rentable home property, to buy or build homes, to be paid back by monthly installments same as rent.

The above bank also has local branches established in Bloomingburgh, Warwick, Florida, Unionville, Westtown, Johnson, Slate Hill, Otisville, Port Jervis, Maybrook and Campbell Hall.

For circulars and full information apply or write to L. P. KNICKERBOCKER, Dist. Supt., Central Building Middletown, N. Y. d&sw

BIG COMFORTS: LITTLE MONEY.

Our Underwear at 19c., 25c., 35c., 50c is big value; half wool at 50c.; our Leather Glove, lined, at 25c, always sold at 50c.; half Buck Gloves 50c., all wool Caps 25c., new shapes; heavy Working Shirts 25c, our 50c. line equal to shirts formerly $1; Heavy Working Coats, wool lined, only $1 25 Good bargains in Leather Coats and Reefers

Morris D. Wolf
BLUE FRONT STORE
10 NORTH ST.

O. P. O. ONE PRICE ONLY

LOOK

at Our New Lot of

RUGS.

29, 49, 69 and 89c.

Never Heard of Such Prices!

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North Street.

Middletown, N. Y.

SEE THAT SIGN IN OUR WINDOW?

'Any cake of soap here for 10 cents."

That means considerable — each cake of it is a bargain at the price while some of it is worth nearly double what we ask for it.

Then why?

Well, one of our "good resolutions' is to sell more Toilet Soap this year (every good resolution ought to include soap) and we are going to do it.

Oh, no, there's no Buttermilk Soap in that window—Buttermilk Soap is only 7 cents with us.

Will any of that soap cure chapped hands?

Why, you don't use soap for that purpose. Soap is for cleanliness and you want a bland, pure, pleasant, non irritating soap such as we sell,—but for chapped hands or rough skin, you want our Orange Flower Balm. Some people whose mothers used it on them when children, are now using it on their little ones. That's good enough evidence.

McMonagle & Rogers.

3,000 Yds. of Hamburg Edging

Insertions and All Over Embroidery

TO BE SOLD AT COST. We have over one hundred pieces, all different patterns, which we will close out as soon as there are people enough to take them. We will discontinue the above line of goods when they are closed out. This is the only reason for this cut in ice. Do you know a good thing when you see it. If you do here is an opportunity that is very seldom offered on

C. W. FANCHER & CO.,

7 West Main Street.

DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Increasing cloudiness, rain or snow in northern portion, Saturday, warmer, winds becoming southerly.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Fronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 23°; 12 m., 32°; 3 p. m., 32°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Jan. 14-19—Ellinwood's Pictures and ElDorado Band at Casino.

—Jan. 22—Dance at state Armory

—Jan. 24—Lecture by David Christie Murray, at Assembly Rooms. Subject: "The Note Book of a Novelist"

—Jan. 29 Masquerade ball, Phœnix Engine Co., at Assembly Rooms.

—Jan. 30 Reception and dance, at McQuoid Engine House.

—Feb. 5—Masquerade ball of Middletown Turnverein, at Assembly Rooms.

—Feb. 20—Ball of Middletown Lodge, I. O. O. F.

—Feb. 21—Wallkill Engine Co., No. 6, will hold its fifth annual ball, at the Assembly Rooms.

—Feb. 25—Twenty-second annual ball of McQuoid Engine Co., at Casino.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Geo. A. Swaim & Son will sell you a stove on thirty days' trial.

—"The Golden King," at the Casino, to-night.

—Low prices on blankets, underwear, dress goods, etc., at Carson & Towner's.

—A. T. Squier quotes several bargains for to-morrow

—Fine assortment of groceries, for Saturday, at Bull & Youngblood's.

—'Can we interest you in dress goods.' See adv. of Geo. B. Adams & Co.

—Middletown Savings Bank book 1,735 lost.

—Large boarding house to let by D. Mills.

—Middletown Savings Bank book 6, 67 lost.

—Special low prices on oranges, lemons, crackers, raisins, etc., at C. E. Velie's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—There will be no service in Grace Church, to-night.

—A Hillsdale, Columbia county, man has just been married to his stepmother.

—Well attended revival meetings are being held in the Ellenville Methodist Church.

—Mrs. Jefferson R. Moore, of No. 16 Lake avenue, is seriously sick with nervous prostration.

—The Postal Telegraph Co. opened an office in Washingtonville, yesterday.

—Orders for carriages for the Benedicts' hop this evening may be left at Hornbeck's store.

—Master Charles Baker won the gold watch given away by Mr. Lea at the Casino, last night.

—"The Gold King" and a roaring farce are the attractions at the Casino, to-night. A silver water pitcher will be given away.

—The committee of arrangements for the masquerade of Phœnix Engine Co., at the Assembly Rooms, Jan. 29th, is making every preparation to insure the success of the ball.

—Several Middletown parties who have tried fishing through the ice on Sullivan county ponds have brought back large catches of pickerel.

—William Mallory, of Hancock, who had his back broken in 1880, by a log rolling on him in the lumber woods, died last week, at his home in Hancock, aged fifty-one years.

—The W. C. T. U. is giving a tea, this afternoon and evening, at the residence of Mrs. Mary Hathaway, Wallkill avenue. All who wish to attend will be welcome.

—A Delaware county man took a dose of butter color by mistake for patent medicine, a few days ago. He has felt no ill effects, but is beginning to turn a rich June butter tint.

—So many forgeries have been committed of late in Ulster county, that County Judge Clearwater felt called upon to refer to the frequency of the crime in a charge which he made to a jury, Wednesday.

—"The Fugitive" will be played at the matinee at the Casino, to-morrow. Admission ten and twenty cents to any part of the house. The toys to be presented to the children may be seen in J. C. Schwartz's window.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Frank Ratcliff, of New York city, is visiting Mrs. W. D. Stratton.

—Miss Lelia Stewart will give a kirmess in the Frothingham Theatre, Scranton, early in February.

—Mrs. Lackler and her two children, of New York city, are in town on a visit to the family of her friend, Mrs. W. P. Knight, on Lake avenue.

—Mr. J. B. Swaim has been confined to his house for the past two days by sickness.

—Mrs. Juliette Wilson, of Lake avenue, who has been quite seriously sick, is, we are glad to say, some what better.

—Mr. Harry Scott, of Hartford Conn., formerly in the O. and W. shops in this city, is in town visiting friends.

—Mrs. John H. McCune went to Brooklyn, to day, to join her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. Colwell, and will accompany her to Washington, where she will spend about six weeks.

—Hon. M. H. Hirschberg, of Newburgh, was elected First Vice-President of the State Bar Association at Albany, Wednesday.

—Mr. W. W. Harford, the marketman, who has been confined to his house with an attack of rheumatism, for the past two months, is able to be about again.

For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF LAST NIGHT'S REGULAR MEETING

Object to Being Advertised as Delinquents—A New Park—A Plea for Leniency—Claim for Damages—Wants Asphalt and Brick Paving Taken Up—State Hospital Wants the Cars—The Mayor on the Proposed Cornelia Street Bridge—A Tax Sale Ordered—Proposed Charter Amendment.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held last evening. Present, President Dunnigan and Aldermen Bowler, Funnell, Luddington, Mance, Reed and Sinsabaugh. There was also present a number of citizens, some of whom came to address the Council on matters of business and others who expected to hear a list of delinquent taxpayers read.

OBJECTS TO BEING ADVERTISED.

Herbert Gedney, Esq., addressed the Council in behalf of Bryant Brothers, in reference to the resolution passed at the last meeting to authorize the city attorney to advertise for sale all properties in a list furnished him on which assessments and taxes were unpaid.

He said in 1889, when the original brick sewer following the line of Draper Brook was built, his clients had deeded certain interests to the city, reserving the right to sewer into the brook, and had paid $125, towards the building of the sewer. They are now assessed $150 on account of the trunk sewer built three years ago, on Academy avenue, which they do not use. They are willing, however, to pay the difference between $125 already paid and $150 claimed by the city, or $25, to finally settle the question.

Mr. Gedney protested against the advertising of his clients as delinquents and arranged to confer with the City Attorney with a view to an amicable adjustment, failing in which, he said, would render it necessary to resort to other measures.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH SEWER ASSESSMENT.

Rev. C. M. Winchester said a sewer had been built on Linden avenue, seven or eight years ago, extending from John street to the parsonage of the Free Christian Church. The parsonage had been assessed $44 for its forty feet of frontage, while other lots equally benefitted had been assessed only $40 for fifty feet of frontage. The assessment was paid, however, without protest. The church was also assessed for the sewer, although it was not extended that far and if it had been the building could not be drained into it. A protest against this assessment was made at the time and he supposed that was the end of the matter, until a few days ago when he received notice that the property was on the list and would be sold if the assessment was not paid. He regarded such a proceeding unjust and added that the church would cheerfully pay an assessment if given a sewer that could be used.

WANTED LIGHT ON DARK PLACES.

Mr. H. W. Corey said he had no assessment to complain of, but was there for light. Council had taken no action on the petition for lamps on Canal street, but if the city would loan him and those interested with him, the old oil lamps they would light the street for a year at their own expense. He was informed that the lamps had been sold and then asked for the posts. Later in the evening the request was granted.

A PARK ON SOUTH STREET.

Mr. Geo. W. Galloway presented deeds to the city from John H. Galloway, Chas. H. Smith and J. Chas. Swartz for property on South street for the widening of the street and a public park. He said the parties conveying the property were making a pecuniary sacrifice that would accrue to the future benefit of other property owners and thought they ought to be protected from all future expenses for widening South street. He knew a resolution to that effect might not be binding upon future Councils, but it might have an effect upon a commission if one is ever appointed for that purpose.

AN ELECTION CLERK'S BILL.

Geo. H. Decker, Esq., asked in behalf of Mr. John F. Dusenberry that his bill for four days' service as a clerk of registry in the First Ward, be audited. Council had audited his bill for two days as inspector; he was entitled to the same per diem for the four days served as clerk of registry.

A PLEA FOR LENIENCY.

Mr. Decker also appeared in behalf of Mr. Thomas Neville, who had been assessed for a large sum; he now owes a balance of $400 and $500, which he is at present unable to pay. The claim is perfectly good; Mr. Neville will pay, but can not do it now. He understood the property was to be advertised for sale.

"In this connection," said Mr. Decker, "while I do not appear for any other delinquent in the situation he is in, let me say, that this time is exceptional; you have just been calling in taxes, and I know of people who have been compelled to resort to extreme measures in order to raise money to pay them. Always when taxes are to be paid it is especially hard on those who have to work for their money as most of our citizens do. To advertise their property for sale at this time is a hardship, not to say cruelty, that should not be inflicted. As a taxpayer, I desire that every man owing the city shall pay what he owes; but as a taxpayer, I don't want any person punished. The city is not in straitened circumstances, while many of its debtors are, and it should be lenient.

"As a citizen, not only in behalf of Mr. Neville, for whom I ask an extension, but for every other person situated as he is, I ask you to consider that as your coffers are now quite well filled, and the town is depleted quite largely by the payment of taxes, you give delinquents a further chance. I ask that you extend the time for those not able to pay now—not too long, but such time as will give them an opportunity to show good faith."

Mr. Decker closed by saying that Mr. Neville had paid part of his assessments and would pay the balance probably within three months. The lien was as good as a mortgage and draws interest at six per cent.

A CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.

Horton W. Purdy reminded the Council of a bill presented by him some time ago, for damages to the amount of $575 by reason of the backing up of the water from the sanitary sewer into his house on Academy avenue, and the stench arising from the open brook into which many people sewered.

WANTS THE PAVING TAKEN UP.

A communication from B. F. Low, Esq., gave notice to the Council to remove the asphalt paving from in front of his premises on North street, from the easterly side of his lot to the curb line; also the brick paving to the southerly line of orchard street, as he desired to erect a structure from the southerly side of Orchard street to the Low Building. If the paving is not removed, Mr. Low says he will remove it at the city's expense and asks that a resolution to remove it or one refusing to do so be passed.

He also stated that if the asphalt paving in front of the Low Building is taken up and re-laid, so as to drain water into the sewer, he will pay his assessment per lineal foot to the northerly end of the lot.

WANT THE TROLLEY CARS.

The following letter from Dr. Talcott was read:

STATE HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL,
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

To the Honorable Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—There is at this institution between 200 and 300 employes. They are all very anxious to enjoy the privilege of riding from the hospital to the city and return upon the trolley cars. If the line were completed it would add greatly to the comfort our workers, and also afford much satisfaction to the friends of patients, who come here to visit them. Will you have the kindness to further the completion of the electric car line to this institution as soon as possible and greatly oblige not only the subscriber, but many others who are interested in the matter of cheap and easy transportation.

Very Truly Yours,
SELDON H. TALCOTT.

SOUTH STREET PARK DEEDS ACCEPTED

Mr. Luddington moved that the deeds of property on South street be accepted on the conditions agreed upon. He said the city makes no mistake when it acquires title to property on such terms. Motion carried.

SAM BEASLEY'S WRECKED WAGON.

Mr. Sinsabaugh said he thought the city was responsible for the damage to Sam Beasley's wagon by the patrol wagon.

Mr. Bowler thought the matter ought to be investigated further. He could bring parties to testify that Fred Beasley drove in front of the fire house to see the patrol wagon go out.

Mr. Funnell said he understood the boy was told to get out of the way.

On Mr. Mance's motion Messrs. Bowler and Sinsabaugh were appointed a committee to investigate the matter.

THE CORNELIA STRLET BRIDGE.

Mr. Sinsabaugh brought up the matter of a bridge over the Erie track on Cornelia street.

Mayor Stansbury, who was present, said the Erie's receiver may be ordered to build a bridge but cannot be compelled to do so, as he is an officer of the court, but he thought if the Council, the Traction Co. and the Erie people should get together in conference something might be done. He thought the receiver would listen to a fair proposition.

The Mayor thought the bridge should be a good one, fifty feet wide, that would give ample room for car tracks, a highway and sidewalks. He thought if proper steps are taken, a bridge could be erected within four months, but never by "order" or by legal means.

He believed a handsome structure could be built for $7,000 and suggested that at the next appropriation meeting permission of the people be asked to use $2,000 of the permanent street improvement fund for the bridge; that the Traction Company be asked to contribute the same sum and the Erie the balance. A bridge at this place will render a flagman unnecessary at Knox's crossing which would make it an object for the Erie and the greater safety for our people ought to be an argument for the city to do its share. On Mr. Mance's motion the Mayor, President and City Attorney were made a committee to confer with parties interested.

Mr. Luddington said the city is indebted to Edwin Thorpe $175, in the Ogden street matter. He needed money and he moved that a draft for $50 on account be drawn in his favor. Carried.

On Mr. Mance's motion the assessments on the property on South street, deeded to the city, were ordered charged to the contingent fund.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Mr. Mance offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Whereas, John H. Galloway, J. Chas. Schwartz and Chas. H. Smith have deeded to the city of Middletown, N. Y., for a nominal consideration a piece of land on South street, in said city, for the purpose of widening South street and the further purpose of making a public park. Therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the present Common Council of the city that the said John H. Galloway, J. Chas. Schwartz and Chas. H. Smith are entitled to the thanks of the residents of the city of Middletown, leaving it to future generations to recognize ever more fully the generosity of this deed of gift.

ACCEPTANCE OF CHARLES STREET AND RAILROAD AVENUE.

Mr. Luddington offered a resolution that upon payment by the N. Y., O. and W. Railway Co. of the amount agreed upon for the improvement of Railroad avenue and Charles street, it be released from further liability incurred by the New York Midland R. R. Co. by resolution or contract with the village of Middletown. Also that Railroad avenue and Charles street as now improved be accepted by the city.

On motion of Mr. Mance the Mayor was authorized to pay interest due the Merchants and Manufacturers' Bank on certificates of indebtedness and give a note for the principal of the same, for convenience in computing interest and making payments on the principal.

A TAX SALE ORDERED.

Mr. Bowler offered a resolution, which was adopted, appointing J. L. Wiggins, Esq., attorney for the city, to advertise and sell the real estate on which taxes and assessments remain unpaid on January 22nd, the City Clerk on that date to place a list of same in the attorney's hands and the advertisement to be published on Feb. 1st, and sale to be made as provided by law, fees of 5 per cent. to be added to all unpaid taxes or assessments, together with interest from the time the same became due.

On motion of Mr. Luddington the resolution of sale for taxes, adopted at the previous meeting was rescinded.

PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT.

On motion of Mr. Sinsabaugh it was voted to hold a special meeting on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, to discuss a proposed amendment to the city charter providing for holding the charter election at the same time as the fall elections and that citizens be invited to be present.

The clerk was authorized to have the furniture upholstered and the council room renovated.

The following bills were audited:

W. I Purdy	$100 00
J. P. Van Tassel	9 00
A. H. Reed	50 00
Otis Hardenburg	50 00
S. W. Millspaugh & Co.	1 15
Gas Co.	211 20
Dill Cranston	25 00
Jno. S. Picot	15 00
Electric Light Co.	352 44
J. E. Corwin, oil	1 42
George Wickham	107 00
Pay rolls	110 85
Police	561 65
Mason & Martin	60
Chas. H. Smith	75 00
Samuel Todd	31 00
Estate Vail & Evans	100 00
J. P. Mulford	16 75
J. H. Conkling	7 20
Wm. Hodge	7 45
F. A. R. Pronk	39 50
Osburn & Brown	1 40
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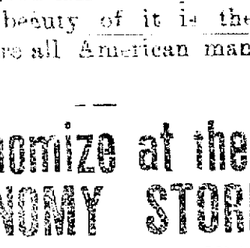

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To whom it lies afar off in the sky,
Between the dark of sea and sky
Ever about us does it lie,
Tantalizingly hidden ways below.
We do not see them—do not know.

But learn that this is worth having thought,
And this of it whose we have taught,
The Dream's words its Master brought—
Those who the gate of it we would know,
And find on the shining feet that go
Making a paradise to-day

Oh, my fellow-dwellers in skies,
Let close not human the blessing lies—
In finding heart's best paradise.
Look up and smile the world is fair,
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"'Could I get some slips of Kenilworth ivy anywhere about the ruins?' I heard a woman ask of the lodgekeeper at Kenilworth castle one day," said a traveler.

"'You are an American, aren't you, madam?' asked the keeper, with a smile.

"'Why, yes, but what of that?' responded the lady, with some slight embarrassment.

"'All American ladies come and ask me for Kenilworth ivy after they have searched in every nook and corner of the ruins for it,' explained the keeper. 'They have told me how common it is in America and how much it is prized, and generally explained that they have promised to take some of the real thing back from Kenilworth ruins for friends at home. They tell me they expected to find the ruins of Kenilworth castle overgrown with the beautiful "Kenilworth ivy," and that it is generally supposed in America that such is the case, and that the ivy first came from here or is named after these ruins because of its abundance here.'

"The woman nodded assent to all this, and the keeper continued:

"'But what you know as "Kenilworth ivy" doesn't grow in or about Kenilworth ruins, as you've no doubt discovered.' And he smiled again, and the woman also smiled in an embarrassed way, for she had been hunting every inch of the ruins over, looking for the plant. 'From the description of the plant which Americans give me I think it is what we call ground or wood ivy that you treasure so much. It has a small, bright green leaf and bears a tiny white flower. It grows on the ground in the thickets and under the hedges in cool places, but I never saw it growing on a wall as the common ivy does. I don't think there is much of it anywhere hereabouts, but it grows in abundance in some places farther south. The American ladies always seem very much disappointed when I tell them "Kenilworth ivy" doesn't grow here in Kenilworth, and I'm very sorry I can't give you some, ma'am.'

"And the woman turned away, with a little sigh, as she thought of the hanging basket at home which was to have been filled with 'real Kenilworth ivy' and of the many friends to whom she had promised slips of the 'real thing' when it had grown. The ruins of Kenilworth castle are covered with thick masses of ivy, but it isn't 'Kenilworth ivy,' but just the common kind."—New York Sun.

The Aim of Christ's Work.

"Peace on earth" was the aim of Christ's work in this world, writes Edward Bellamy in The Ladies' Home Journal. The whole gist of his doctrine and the burden of his teaching consisted in counsels to men how to put an end to strife with their fellow men and live together with them in mutual helpfulness. All this teaching, which was the whole content of his gospel, was grouped about and crystallized in the golden rule, whereon our modern world is founded as on an everlasting foundation. To believe in Christ and not to believe in the golden rule as the only plan for social organization seems to us a moral and rational impossibility—an unthinkable proposition. Just this, however, our ancestors undertook to do, and it is fair to admit that they were very frank about it. They made no pretenses.

An Apt Reply.

Napoleon's apt replies often excited good humor in a crowd. A large and brawny fishwoman once was haranguing the mob and telling them not to disperse. She finished by exclaiming: "Never mind those coxcombs with epaulets on their shoulders. They care not if we poor people all starve if they can but feed well and grow fat."

Napoleon, who was as thin as a shadow, turned to her and said, "Look at me, my good woman, and tell me which of us two is the fatter."

The fish fag was completely disconcerted, and the mob dispersed.—Exchange.

An Original.

Little Marjorie—There are lots of little Marjories nowadays, but none other at all like this one. She is original in her prayers, as in everything else. The other night she finished off her petition thus:

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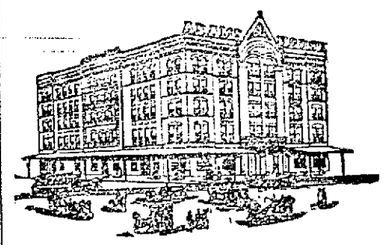

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FIRES IN JAPAN.

But For Open Spaces the Japanese Cities Would Burn Up.

One of the quaintest sights in Japan is a fire. Hundreds of houses are often burned in the space of a few hours, and little or nothing can be done to stop the progress of the flames, especially on a windy day. If you except the roof, which is made of tiles, Japanese houses are built entirely of straw wood, bamboo and paper. In the poorer districts houses are packed close together, and therefore if one happens to catch fire sometimes the whole street is burned down with incredible rapidity, and the fire only stops at some open space where it cannot possibly spread further. It is not unusual in Tokyo or some of the larger towns to hear of a thousand or even more houses having been destroyed in an afternoon or during the night.

No one is more afraid of fires than the Japanese, and high ladders are posted at short intervals all over the towns and in all the larger villages, on the top of which ladders a watchman sits all night and in case of fire rings a large bell hanging from the top. If rung at long intervals, the fire is distant, and one need not worry oneself about turning out of one's fourtangs. If rung a little quicker, the fire is not far, but there need be no apprehension. But if the bell is vigorously and quickly tolled then you may as well say goodby to your house, because in perhaps a few minutes it will be reduced to a mass of ashes.

The Japanese are wonderful at turning out at all hours of the night, even for going to look at a fire, and men, women and children in the coldest nights in winter think nothing of walking five or six miles to go and look at a big blaze. If the fire happens to be near, the excitement increases in proportion to the probability of one's house being burned down. You see people half scared and screaming, getting water wherever they can in pails, wash basins, tubs or anything they can lay hold of and throwing it all over the woodwork so as to diminish the chances of its catching fire. Then as the fire draws nearer, and the only water available has already been consumed, the process of saving what one can is put into practice. The amido, or wooden shutters, and the shoji, paper walls, are quickly taken down and brought into a safe place; the mats are lifted out of their places, and with the few articles of furniture are quickly removed. So that when the fire comes it only destroys the wooden frame of the house and the roof. That is all. It is seldom that life is lost in these fires, except sometimes when children or old people are unable to move, and once surrounded by flames they cannot be reached and often perish.—Tokyo Letter.

THE CONFIDENTIAL PAPER.

The Briton Complains, Praises and Scolds In His Daily Journal.

The newspaper is a member of the family in England and regularly comes to breakfast with the other members. The London Times is a kind of oldest son among newspapers, and Punch the jolly bachelor uncle, who makes occasional visits. Englishmen take their newspapers into their confidence and have a half way of writing to them on all sorts of subjects. If an Englishman rows down the Thames and stops for luncheon at an inn and is overcharged, he writes to his newspaper, just as a little boy runs in to complain to his mamma of the rough treatment of his playmates, and later on the first letter is followed by others, in which the comparative merits and cost of light luncheons on the continent, in Seringapatam, in Kamchatka and everywhere else where Englishmen have eaten and drunk—and where have they not done these?—is discussed au fond. If horses stumble and fall in Rotten row, there are letters on the subject which go into the matter of roadbuilding, modern horsemanship and the like, with quotations from Virgil and anecdotes of accidents that happened half a century ago. Not only the more serious weekly, but also the daily newspapers, give one the impression that they feel themselves to some extent responsible for the contemporary auditing of the accounts of the day of judgment. On the other hand, the better class of English newspapers do not indulge in rash suppositions, hasty generalizations, uncertain guesses at probable future happenings and the daily exploitation of the personal affairs of notorious nobodies. And one may be permitted to say diffidently that perhaps this is preferable. If Mr. Balfour, for example, were to go abroad for a holiday, it would be considered vulgar to chronicle his doings and dinings and absolutely brutal and boorish to write particulars of the dress and behavior of his sister, or his wife, if he had one. The sense of fair play of a nation of sportsmen does not permit an editor to torment even his enemy from behind a woman's petticoats.—Price Collier in Forum.

A Question of Recognition.

Miss Kitty—Mamma, will we know folks in heaven same as we do here?

Mamma—I think there is no doubt of that, my dear.

"Will I know Jane Gopplins?"

"Who is Jane Gopplins?"

"She's the big freckled girl that lives over the grocery store down the street."

"If you are both good enough to go to heaven, my dear, you will certainly know her."

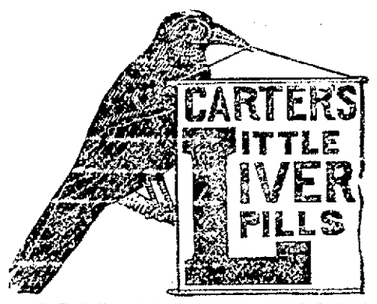
(After some moments of profound cogitation) "I won't have to speak to her, will I, mamma?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Fine Foot.

The elderly gentleman was getting a pair of shoes, and the clerk was striving to please.

"You have an elegant foot, sir," he said as he smoothed the leather down across the instep.

"Um," sniffed the old gent, eying him narrowly, "I guess you ain't the chap that was coming to see my daughter every other night till last week."—Detroit Free Press.



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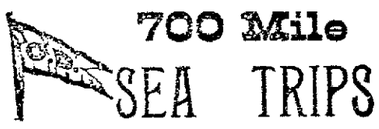

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LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Law avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wickham ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning Nov 25th, and continuing until further notice.

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD

EAST BOUND

NO.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
$12, Chicago Express	4.30 a m	
$10, Buffalo Express	6.01 "	
26, Middletown Way, T	6:24 "	6:36 a m
14, Orange Co., G. M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28, Mountain Express	8 23 "	8:25 "
38, Del. Valley P., G. M. P.	10.31 "	10:33 "
6, Way Mail, G (ex.Sunday)	12 58 "	1:00 p m
$ 2, Chicago Express, T	2:23 p m	
30, Way, M. P. G. T	4:43 "	4:45 "
$ 8, Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
$18, Milk	7.53 "	
$14, Wells-Fargo Express	10:40 "	
646, Pt. Jervis Local (Sun. only)	8:23 a m	8:25 a m
920, Port Jervis Local	5:15 p m	
$128, M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a m
$130, M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p m

WEST BOUND

$17, Milk	7:47 a m	
21, Port Jervis Way	10 99 "	10:35 a m
$ 1, Day Express	11 25 "	
11, Port Jervis Local	1 04 p m	1:01 p m
33, Port Jervis Local	3:40 "	3:37 "
$35, Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27, Mountain Express	5:40 "	5:38 "
15, Orange County	6.50 "	6:45 "
25, Middletown Way, arrives	8:05 "	8:03 "
$ 7, Buffalo Express	8:30 "	"
29, Emigrant	9:40 "	"
$ 3, Chicago Express	11:12 "	"
603, Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10.43 a m	10:40 a m
625, " " "	3:19 p m	3:16 p m
617, " " "	9:32 "	"
$101, M. & C. Branch train	11:35 a m	11:03 a m
$116, " " "	6 55 p m	

Trains marked with a $ run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 605, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. ‡Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters prefixed, indicate connections, viz: "G," with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "L," with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M," with Montgomery Branch; "P" with Pine Island Branch. Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at $4:15, $7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12.30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE, NORTH BOUND.

Milk	7:42 a m
Day Express	10:55 "
Sullivan County Express	6:19 p.m
Pacific Express	10:50 p.m

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 8	7:55 a m
Atlantic Express	8:12 "
Day Express	4:30 p.m
Milk	7:40 "

N. Y., S. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE.

Middletown Way	6:30 a m
Accommodation	8.00 "
*Mail	4:46 p. m

ARRIVE.

*Mail	12:12 p. m
Accommodation	7:45 "
Middletown Way	

*Runs Sundays.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

State and County Taxes.

Notice is hereby given, as required by statute to the taxable inhabitants of the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., that the undersigned, Collector of Taxes in and for the city of Middletown, N. Y., has received the warrant for the collection of State and County Taxes for the present year; and that he will attend at the Corporation Rooms, Foundry street in said city, on each working day of the week (Sunday and holidays excepted), for 20 days from DEC. 19th, 1894, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving payment of said taxes, and that such payments will be received during said thirty days without fees.

T. M. HAMILTON, Collector.
Middletown, N. Y., Dec. 17th, 1894. SStoJan19

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Mrs. Potter is a good wife, but not a very obedient one. "I will promise to obey," she said the other day, "but then, I said to myself, I must have my mind, as I done promised myself. And I simply can't be followed around by a word said on the subject. Nobody knows where woman's rights."

Mr. Potter—Accordingly, is that her notion of her duty to the cook stove of her mother's. The other day he was working around and I heard him ask a neighbor "and to be"

Inquiring as to his wife's and the need of a mule to Boone.

Ans. to be

"No, only getting to Hannibal."

No. I guess she's harnessed up and gone to town for bread, but not to."—Yonkers Gazette.

Too Dark.

He—Your father seems to think I can't support you, dearest.

She—I don't see how he can. Every time he has passed the parlor the gas has been too low for him to see anything.—Life.

These Degenerate Days.

"Alonzo pulled Ingersoll's outrageous," said the colored domestic, who was in a high state of frenzy. "Why, it's the most brutal"—

"Colored was there no football when you were a young man?"

"There was football an' rownd all an' skyball an' bullpen an' three cornered cat, but no such low, lowdy, brutal doggish displays as dat."

Hah! colored, I said, I still crippled in a way by our old-style football.

"Yes, I see you've thrown out a fling now about my nose. How has it been gone? Well, sir, that was knocked off by Tom Traylor in a fair and square match. I broke three of his ribs and cracked his skull an'—

"Oh, no! I would not refer to your injured nose"—

Oh, no! Course ye wouldn't! But I'm not to say ye didn't mean that one o' my ears was gone. That was gouged out by Black Joe Swatts in a fight over a horse race. Little satisfaction he got. But one of his ears clean off an' was goin' for his nose when they choked us apart."

"But colonel really were not those old pastimes more brutal than anything in football?

What! Ye compare those experiences to these? Young man, that was manhood! This is low, miserable brutality!"

And the colonel actually left the field in disgust.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cynical.

An assault case in which a husband was accused of beating his wife was on trial in a certain court. A friend of the family had been summoned much against his will, to testify as to the blows. He was asked by the prosecutor:

"You saw these blows administered?"

"I did."

"And I suppose you saw the very beginning of the quarrel between them?"

I did.

"When was it?"

"Five years ago."

"Five years ago! How was that possible?"

I was a guest at their wedding."—Youth's Companion.

Utilizing the Tunnels.

Among the passengers on the car were an elderly lady and her pretty young niece, also a young gentleman. The train had passed through several tunnels when the maiden's uncle said:

"My dear, you're coming to a long tunnel. You'd better steer clear of this sort."

Pretty Nell—Now, I've just found where I am. One more tunnel, and I am engaged—I'm sure of this.

Evidently Destined to Success.

The Music Publisher—Young man, I must decline to purchase your new song. The words are simply crazy, and the music is not much better. Get an assortment of a lot of cheap rhymes.

The Author (excitedly)—Oh, thank you, sir. I'll do it. I'll do it. And I can make a fortune, can't I? I don't think the song will be a brilliant success, do you, sir?—Chicago Record.

Had Some Idea of It.

And you have never learned to dance? Then you have a thing of the past to learn!

Pretty soon. Great Scott! I walked the floor with that boy of mine last night and rocked Mother Goose to him for four whole hours.—Chicago Tribune.

A Villain Unmasked.

Mr. Stayed (very much after ordered a breakfast at a restaurant where he had never been before). "The first egg I tackled was rad. He ordered some more. They also were bad.

"That's all right," said Snyder, "I am recognized."—Texas Siftings.

Futile.

Before I fell in love I sought
And tried to discover
Who was the wight of whom I were ought,
To apply the life-saving lover.
So I took of phrenology lore
Around me I collected,
And quite a number of that store
Of learning I erected.
To fool with Cupid is no fun,
And blindness brings disaster.
But now I list my work is done
In heaps I am a master.
But, oh, to loud heaps ever met
At sea are all my guesses.
I cannot tell her lumps as we see,
She has such glorious tresses.
—New York World.

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TIME TABLE.

Adopted Nov. 25th, 1894.

Eastern Time.	S. Spc 617	S. Spc 625	S. Spc 601	9	29	7	25	15	27	5	33	11	1	21	17	12	26	16	28	38	6	2	30	8	18	14	S Spc 606	S Spc 620
Leave NEW YORK	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
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Hackensack	6 39			7 41																								
Turnors	6 48			8 51																								
Monroe	6 58			9 01																								
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Goshen	7 19			9 27																								
Middletown	7 36			9 40																								
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Shawangunk	9 31			11 34																								
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Parksville	10 12			12 15																								
Lackawanna	10 20			12 23																								
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Oxford	11 35			1 40																								
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Owego	12 40			2 45																								
Tioga	12 50			2 55																								
Waverly	1 00			3 05																								
Sayre	1 10			3 15																								
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*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b. Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m. daily, and 6:55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., except Sunday, 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:25 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily, 6:50 p. m. daily.

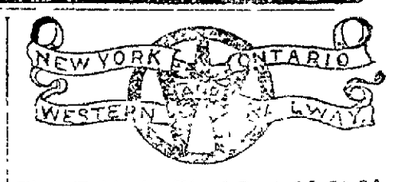
Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., except Sunday, 10.53 a. m. daily, and 8:00 p. m. daily. Train 30 and 2 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:15 a. m. except Sunday, 11:10 a. m. daily, 1:32 and 6.25 p. m. except Sunday, 5:50 p. m. Sundays only.

Trains Nos. 6, 11, 15, 16, 21, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 33 and Sunday Specials 601, 606, 625 stop at Main street, Middletown.

To the Young Face

POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives freshness, charm and youth. Try it.



Time Table in Effect Sept. 30, 1894.

Northeastern Division.

STATIONS	11 Milk	1 Day Exp	7 Mail	5 Pass
	A M	P M	P M	P M
N Y Lack'a	8 45	1 40	5 40	4 00
Hoboken	8 55	1 50	5 50	4 10
Weehawken	9 00	1 55	5 55	4 15
Cornwall	11 00	3 45	7 45	6 05
W Cornwall	10 25	3 10	7 10	5 30
Otis Mills	10 27	3 12	7 12	5 32
Little Britain	9 27	2 12	6 12	4 32
Barnes	9 30	2 15	6 15	4 35
Campbell Hall	9 40	2 25	6 25	4 45
Scotts Mills	9 47	2 32	6 32	4 52
Edgar	9 50	2 35	6 35	4 55
Main St	9 55	2 40	6 40	5 00
Middletown	10 00	2 45	6 45	5 05
Wisner	10 05	2 50	6 50	5 10
Edenville	10 10	2 55	6 55	5 15
Warwick	10 15	3 00	7 00	5 20
Sanford	10 20	3 05	7 05	5 25
Florida	10 30	3 15	7 15	5 35
Pine Island	10 40	3 25	7 25	5 45
Greenwood Lake	10 45	3 30	7 30	5 50
Arrive Warwick	10 15	3 00	7 00	5 20
Leave	10 20	3 05	7 05	5 25
Amity	10 30	3 15	7 15	5 35
Greycourt	10 40	3 25	7 25	5 45
Chester	10 50	3 35	7 35	5 55
Goshen	11 00	3 45	7 45	6 05
Scotchtown	11 10	3 55	7 55	6 15
Craigville	11 15	4 00	8 00	6 20
Middletown	11 25	4 10	8 10	6 30
Howells	11 40	4 25	8 25	6 45
Otisville	11 50	4 35	8 35	6 55
Port Jervis	12 05	4 50	8 50	7 10
Arrive Hawley	12 30	5 15	9 15	7 35
Leave	12 40	5 25	9 25	7 45
Lackawaxen	12 50	5 35	9 35	7 55
Shohola	1 00	5 45	9 45	8 05
Arrive Lackawanna	1 30	6 15	10 15	8 35

Southwestern Division.

STATIONS	6 Mail	12 Nor Exp	14 Del Exp	50 Local	2 Day Exp	28 Pass
	A M	P M	P M		P M	P M
Oswego	9 45	2 35		7 00	6 15	
Oneida	12 25	5 00		9 40	8 50	
Oneida Castle	12 35	5 15		9 50	9 00	
Norwich	2 05	6 45	5 45	11 20	10 30	
Norwich	3 15	7 55	6 55	12 30	11 40	6 55
New Berlin					10 02	
Sidney	3 50				11 40	9 10
Delhi					11 50	
Walton	4 15				12 15	11 55
Hancock Jct	5 00				1 00	12
Rockland	5 58				1 50	
Lackawaxen	6 15				2 05	
Parksville					2 25	
Liberty	6 30				2 37	
Liberty Falls					2 45	
Hurleyville					2 56	
Fallsburg	7 00				3 06	
Centerville					3 20	
Mountain Dale					3 25	
Ellenville					3 40	
Summitville	7 32				3 45	
Wurtsboro					3 52	
Bloomingburgh					3 58	
Wintertown					4 02	
Mtown Jct	8 02				4 07	
Mtown Main St	8 12				4 20	
Stone Ford					4 30	
Campbell Hall					4 37	
Burnside					4 43	
Little Britain					4 50	
Orr's Mills	8 51				4 55	
W. Cornwall					5 00	
Cornwall	9 03				5 08	
Weehawken	10 30				7 00	10 40
New York						
W 42d St	10 40				7 10	11 00
N Y						
Fkln St	10 55				7 25	11 15

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sundays.

f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

✓ Stop for meals.

Trains leave Hancock Junction 6.00 a. m. and 2.05 p. m. for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10.25 a. m. and 6.10 p. m. for Hancock Junction.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9.55 and 11.30 a. m., 3.50 and 6.55 p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6.45 and 10.50 a. m., 3.10 and 6.05 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7.20 and 11.20 a. m. 5.15 p. m. Sundays only 10.00 a. m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8.15 a. m., 2.50 and 8.50 p. m. Sundays only, 8.30 a. m.

For further particulars see local card.

Lowest rates of fare to all points west. One to three dollars less than other lines.

Express Trains Nos. 5 and 6 run solid between New York and Suspension Bridge. Reclining Chair Car free to through passengers for Chicago without change. Pullman Sleeping Car New York to Suspension Bridge.

No. 5 arrives at Chicago 9.00 a. m.

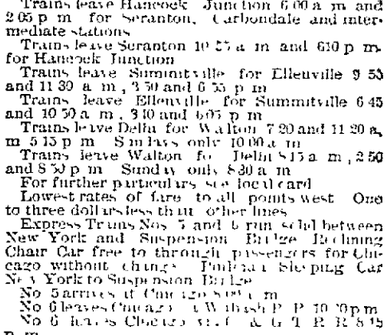
No. 6 leaves Chicago 4.30 p. m. Wabash P. R. 10.30 p. m.

No. 6 leaves Chicago 4.30 p. m. C. & G. T. R. R. 8.45 p. m.

Secure rates via Ontario & Western before purchasing tickets and see Coupon Day and Night Express on the

J. C. ANDERSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agent.

W. L. DOUGLAS
$3 SHOE IS THE BEST.
FIT FOR A KING.



$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & ENAMELLED CALF
$4 $3.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO.
$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES.
$2.50 $2. WORKINGMEN'S. EXTRA FINE.
$2. $1.75 BOYS SCHOOL SHOES.
LADIES.
$3. $2.50 $2 $1.75
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SEND FOR CATALOGUE.
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BROCKTON, MASS.

Over One Million People wear the
W. L. Douglas $3 & $4 Shoes
All our shoes are equally satisfactory
They give the best value for the money.
They equal custom shoes in style and fit.
Their wearing qualities are unsurpassed.
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From $1 to $3 saved over other makes.
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C. D. HAMMOND.

A LADY'S TOILET
Is not complete without
COMPLEXION POWDER
POZZONI'S
Combines every element of beauty and purity. It is beautifying, soothing, healing, healthful, and harmless, and when rightly used is invisible. A most delicate and desirable protection to the face in this climate.
Insist upon having the genuine.
IT IS FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

STRIKES AND SPARES

McMonagle & Rogers' Team Outbowl the Dry Goods Clerks.

A team made up from the employes of McMonagle & Rogers tried conclusions with a team of dry goods clerks on the Midway Park alleys, last night.

The sellers of dry goods were no match for the druggists, who defeated them in two straight games by the following score:

M'MONAGLE & ROGERS.	1st	2nd
Gordon	85	101
Kingsland	84	104
Rogers	115	110
L. Buck	89	116
Hil...	108	114
Totals	481	545
DRY GOODS CLERKS.		
Quackenbush	100	88
Schleffer	131	142
Falkenberry	72	106
C Buck	81	82
Dennis	96	95
Totals	481	513

MEETING OF PROHIBITION COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Officers Elected and Plans for an Aggressive Campaign Discussed.

A meeting of prominent Prohibitionists with the County Committee was held at Nicoleon's Hall, in this city, yesterday.

The committee elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Chairman—John W. Hill, of Middletown.

Secretary—Geo. S. Belding, of Middletown.

Treasurer—S. B. Youngs, of Cornwall.

Plans for the next campaign were presented and discussed. The sentiment was strongly in favor of making an aggressive fight for Prohibition principles.

A Dream that May Cost the Dreamer His Life.

Emory Storms, of Hardyston, N. J., nearly ninety years old, dreamed one night last week, that a villain was about to attack him, and, jumping out of bed, he fled from the house to escape the impending danger. He had on nothing but a shirt, and the air was cold and the ground covered with snow, but he struggled on for miles, at last staggering into James Young's house in Hainesville, with hands and feet frozen, and almost exhausted. He was dazed, as if waking from a somnambulistic state. It is feared that he will die of exposure

An Advertising Controversy Ends in a Libel Suit.

Leland S. Purvis and Byron Gray, rival feed dealers at Livingston Manor, endeavored to attract custom by saying disagreeable things about each other in their advertisements in the *Ensign*. As the controversy grew more heated, the rivals accused each other of all sorts of meannesses and at last Mr. Purvis held up to ridicule an unfortunate member of the Gray family. The result is a libel suit for $2,000 damages.

A Mad Dog Runs Amuck,

A dog belonging to a Mr. Wallace, of New Milford, went mad a few days ago and bit a mare, colt and four calves belonging to its owner. It ran to Marcellus Drew's and bit his dog and several pigs and then, taking a course along the mountain, it bit five dogs, finally bringing up at Mr. Hooker's in Vernon, where it was killed with an axe.

Secrets of the Grave,

The remains of Totten Dusinberry, who was buried fifty-three years ago in a family burying ground at Beaver, N. J., were recently disinterred and taken to Newton where they were reburied. When the grave was opened, although the coffin was entirely gone, the long white hair of the deceased was found to be in a perfect state of preservation.

Another Case of Small-pox.

Grant Hook, who has been employed at the Hasbrouck place in the town of Wawarsing, was taken with varioloid, a few days ago, and the health authorities, who were hopeful that they had the disease under control, will have to go through another campaign against it.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the *Conglomerate* there were, Tuesday, 1 079 patients in the State Homeopathic Hospital for the Insane, in this city, of whom 731 were males and 348 females. During the week seven patients were admitted and two discharged.

Four Big Successes,

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, this great remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Bucklin's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Dr. King New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose named is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at McMonagle & Rogers Drug Store.

—Do you travel? Are you a shipper?. The "Rand-McNally Railway Guide and Handbook" contains all pertinent information. Ask your newsdealer. 33 1yrSep17'95

GOING ON THE ROAD.

Mr. John A. Staats Leaves Mr. Adams to Become a Traveling Salesman.

Mr. John A. Staats, who has been for six years with Mr. George B. Adams in his North street store, has resigned his position to accept an engagement with Messrs. Burton, Price & Co., of New York city, dealers in silks, satins and ribbons. His territory will be New York state, west of Albany, and such portions of Pennsylvania as can be reached from the Erie and its branches. Mr. Staats will enter on the duties of his new position Jan. 28th.

Mr. Staats, during his residence in Middletown, has made many friends, and his pleasant and courteous manner has made him very popular with the patrons of Mr. Adams' store, who, while regretting to learn of his departure from Middletown, will unite in wishing him all possible success on the road.

SOUTH CENTREVILLE.

Fine Young Cattle—A Painful Accident Personal and Local Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Wesley Thorn drove some fine young cattle through this place, a short time ago, that were raised on his farm in the town of Mt. Hope.

—Mr. Byron Elsworth, who lives in P. Morrison's residence on Castle High, cut his wrist with a chisel a few days ago, making an ugly wound which has been very sore.

—Walter Harloe has a fine young horse, which he often has out for exercise. It goes a good gait.

—Martin Bennett, our wagon maker and blacksmith, has erected for his use a belt rip saw which he runs by horse power.

—Mr. A. D. P. Smith has rented the M. L. Mapes farm for the present year.

—W. H. Dickerson visited relatives in Newark, last week. He is preparing to erect a barn on the site of the one recently burned.

MOUNT SALEM, N. J.

A Christmas Tree and Entertainment—Building a Baptismal Font—Pneumonia's Victims—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—It looks as if the prophecy of many snow storms will be fulfilled. Sleighing has been very fine here since Christmas and the prospects of its staying with us all winter are good.

—Farmers have gathered their ice. It is of fine quality, and eight to ten inches thick.

—The entertainment and Christmas tree at the church, last week, was well attended and was a success. The opening address by Master Everett Ferguson, solo by Mr. Chas. Courtright and recitation by Miss Hockenberry, deserve especial mention. All who took part did themselves credit and were appreciated, judging by the applause they each received. Mr. Gilmore deserves praise for the successful management of the affair.

—The Rev. Mr. Gilmore is having a font built in the church here and there will be baptism in the church next Sunday night, Jan. 20th.

—Mrs. Phebe Brink, who is visiting her son, Enos Brink, of this place, has been very seriously sick for the past week with pneumonia. She is attended by Dr. Nugent, of Unionville, and is now convalescent.

—Mrs. Eliza Koykendall, of Port Jervis, who has been spending a few weeks with her brother, Mr. J. R. Northrup, returned home, this week.

—Mr. Geo. B. Elston, with his wife and daughter, are expected home from the South, this week.

—Mr. J. E. Casterline has been quite sick with symptoms of pneumonia. He is attended by Dr. Nugent and is improving.

David Christie Murray's Lecture.

David Christie Murray, the English novelist, who lectures here on Jan. 24th, has, in his tour of the great cities, been uninterruptedly successful. This is what the Boston *Herald* said of him:

"Mr. Murray is a speaker of extraordinary charm and magnetic personality. He captured his audience before he had spoken five minutes, and easily held them under the spell of his eloquence throughout the evening."

Delaware Valley Electric Road.

Work on the Delaware Valley electric railroad will be suspended until spring. Three new directors have been elected and the company's indebtedness to laborers employed on construction is to be settled in a few days.

Testimony of a Nurse and Midwife.

PAVILION, N. Y., May 21, 1885.—"I have had great experience as a nurse and midwife for the last five or six years, and I have never found anything so good as Gilmore's Aromatic Wine; have found it excellent for young ladies arriving at maturity, and also for ladies in the decline or change of life. I recommend it to the afflicted."

MRS. AMELIA PLUCKER.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve,

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands' chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

INSPECTORS AND CLERKS.

List of Republican and Democratic Nominations to the Mayor for Appointment.

Hon. W. K. Stansbury, Mayor:

SIR:—The foregoing is a list of Inspectors, Ballot and Poll Clerks for the different Wards representing the Republican party, a party having the highest number of votes at the last preceding election:

FIRST WARD

First District—Inspectors, William D. Brown, Frank H. Scudder. Poll Clerk, John W. Phillips: Ballot Clerk, William Ketcham.

Second District — Inspectors, E. L. Sproat, Ed Thorpe. Poll clerk, Arthur Gordon: Ballot clerk, Chas J. Crosby.

Third District—Inspectors, John S. Cooper, Henry D. Hopkins. Poll clerk, John H. Eccles. Ballot clerk, William Eckert

SECOND WARD

First District—Inspectors, Charles B. Hulse, Benj. C. Woodward Poll clerk, William D. Brown: Ballot clerk, Charles J. Cooper.

Second District—Inspectors, George W. Farrington, James H Harding: Poll clerk, Jacob C. Foster Ballot clerk, Daniel D. Vail.

Third District—Inspectors, Robert D. Mapes, Emerson Rose: Poll clerk, Chas. W Martin. Ballot clerk, Dwight Babcock.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Inspectors, John H. King, William E Kellogg: Poll clerk, Warren J. Adams. Ballot clerk, C. C Veber

Second District—Inspectors, Eugene B. Quick, George H. Swalm: Poll Clerk, Clarence G. Fay: Ballot clerk, John S. Conkling.

FOURTH WARD.

First District—Inspectors, Oscar O. J. Werley, Thomas A March: Poll clerk, John L. Starr: Ballot clerk, Oscar M. Price.

Second District—Inspectors, Joseph H. King, Edward D. C. Crans. Poll Clerk, Thomas S. Lane. Ballot clerk, Farrand W. Hayes.

Third District—Inspectors, John J. Cox, S. Albert Bull. Poll clerk, Charles J. Lowe. Ballot clerk, Edw. L. McCrea

CHAS. B. HULSE,
Secretary.

Hon. W. K. Stansbury, Mayor:

SIR:—The foregoing is a list of Inspectors, Ballot and Poll Clerks for the different wards representing the Democratic party, a party having cast the next highest number of votes at the last preceding election

FIRST WARD.

First District—Inspectors, John A. Wallace, Kester W Staib: Ballot clerk, Ira M. Corwin Poll clerk, Patrick J. Reilly.

Second District—Inspectors, J. D Brinkerhoff, Geo. Maier: Ballot clerk, James Claffy: Poll clerk, D. C. Crosby.

Third District—Inspectors, C. J. Burhans, R. J Leemen: Ballot clerk J. H. Lawder. Poll clerk, Edward Burhans

SECOND WARD.

First District—Inspectors, Louis F. Wengenroth, William H. Bull Ballot clerk, Martin Gillen. Poll clerk, W. T Shaw.

Second District—Inspectors, William R. Rodgers, Frank Kerrigan: Ballot clerk, Geo. W Clark: Poll clerk, C. M. Hyde.

Third District—Inspectors, Ira. S. Chuson, Timothy Mongan: Ballot clerk, Gad. McPhillamy: Poll clerk, John F. Dugan.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Inspectors, I. B. A. Tayler, James Gavin: Ballot clerk, A. C. Bowers. Poll clerk, C. Macardell.

Second District—Inspectors, R. M. Cox, D. L. Decker: Ballot clerk, Thomas Kennedy: Poll clerk, Chas E. Canfield

FOURTH WARD.

First District — Inspectors, Stephen Wolf, John B. Carey, Ballot clerk, J. L. Swezey. Poll clerk, D. W. Van Zant.

Second District—Inspectors, B. V. Wolf, Arthur A. Conkling. Ballot clerk, M K. Wilson Poll clerk, E. J. Butts.

Third District—Inspectors, Frank Cullman, Charles Gessford. Ballot clerk, John Welch: Poll clerk, Abram Coddington.

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL B. SWEENEY, Chairman.
TIMOTHY MONGAN, Secretary

Beyond Comparison

Are the good qualities possessed by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Above all it purifies the blood, thus strengthening the nerves; it regulates the digestive organs, invigorates the kidneys and liver, tones and builds up the entire system cures Scrofula, Dyspepsia, Catarrh and Rheumatism. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, billiousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick headache. 25c.

For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence.

GREENVILLE.

Items of Personal Interest.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Mrs. Gregory and daughter, Kate, of Goshen, are visiting Mrs. Lewis Smith.

—J. P. Ferguson is attending court this week at Newburgh.

—We are glad to say that at this writing Miss Lillian Corwin is much better.

MARY A. TUPPER

IN A WOMAN'S PRISON.

Restored to Her Husband at Wilton, Me., After Months of Suffering.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Women's prisons are not always built of iron bars and solid masonry. It is easy to shut women up from the beautiful, joyous world without these means.

Mrs. Mary A. Tupper has been released at Wilton, Me., from the custody of extreme female weakness and nervousness which kept her a prisoner in bed, unable to walk.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound went to the root of her trouble, and gave her the liberty of health, so that after taking two bottles she was able to go out of doors and surprise her husband and friends by her rapid improvement.

She says: "Women should beware of dizziness, sudden faintness, backache, extreme lassitude and depression. They are danger signals of female weakness, or some derangement of the uterus or womb. Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and be thankful for your life as I am. It only costs a dollar to try it, and the result is worth millions. Ask some druggist about it."

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

NO RESERVE

Auction Saturday, Jan. 19th, at 2:30 Sharp
House and Lot, 34 and 36 Willett,
Known as the Pierson Place
31d2t KAUFMAN, Auctioneer

LOST—Bank book No. 1,795 of the Middletown Savings Bank. Payment stopped. Please return book to bank, No 2 South St. d18,25,1

FOR Rent from April 1st, the large boarding house, "The Central," nearly opposite the Methodist Church. All modern improvements, sixteen sleeping rooms
15322t Apply to DR. HILLS.

LOST—Bank book No 6,467 of the Middletown Savings Bank. Payment stopped. Please return book to bank, No 2 South St d18,25,1

PORTLAND Sleighs. The largest stock in the city. Call and examine.
MIDDLETOWN WAGON CO., 10 Henry St
33d t

ANY Description of Leather Pocket Case or cover manufactured at Bookbindery of McINTYRE, 32 North street. Theif

C. E. TALMADGE is not by the Island of Hayti now, but makes his headquarters at 27 King street. Represents Guaranteed Tailoring Co., Grand street. Makes pants from $2 90 to $7, suits and overcoats in proportion. Will make you a new mackintosh coat to order at $7 50. He is sole agent in this vicinity for Satinola and patent cushion sole shoes; makes them to order for ladies only. He will call with his samples on request. Represents the Mineral Rod Rubber Co., 15 Cliff street, New York, and can furnish anything in that line for housekeepers, engineers, mills, builders, horse owners or any body else who wants rubber goods except boots and shoes. Garden hose a specialty, and won't be undersold, neither wholesale or retail. Nuff ced. I won't play second fiddle. 32dot

LARGE Diamond Ring for sale, worth $175, will take $85.
Mon Wed fri Feb Apply or address W, this office

IT PAYS when you advertise in
THE DAILY ARGUS.

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150 For further particulars enquire at No. 54 East avenue. 38dtf

MONEY to loan on first morgage city property S. M. Boyd, attorney at law, 36 North street. 24,dtf

REDUCTIONS in prices at the City Tailor's, 26 North street, on all orders for fall and winter goods for thirty days to make room for spring goods. C. H EMDE, 26 North street

YOU Can have your shoes soled and heeled in 25 minutes for 70c, ladies from 45c. at CRAIG'S, 22 West Main street. 6mtf

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business Enquire at 23dtf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot.

IT PAYS when you advertise in
THE DAILY ARGUS.

A. W. JOLINE Daily Messenger to New York. Any kind of business transacted. Orders left at Totten's Restaurant, Phillips' Market or Rosencranse's Shoe Store will receive prompt attention. 19d12t

ORDER Gazette, Daily or Sunday N. Y Papers of BEAKES, News Dealer, 12 North St. M&t2

THE Homestead Building and Loan Association will loan money, on favorable terms, any time during the present month Apply to any of the officers.
31d6f H J. LEONARD, Secretary.

BOOKBINDING of all descriptions at McINTYRE'S, 32 North street d7tf

WANTED—$1 200 on bond and mortgage, first class EDWIN S MERRILL, Attorney at Law, No. 16 East Main street.

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1.50 per day. 6dtf

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HYPOPHOSPHITES, IS PUT UP IN FULL PINT BOTTLES

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TUTHILL'S PHARMACY, 27 JAMES ST

PRICES TALK.

Ladies' fast black Hose	7c
Children's fast black Fleeced Hose	9c
Fancy Feathers	3c
Untrimmed Felt Hats, sailors and alpines	7c
Infants' Cloaks	69c
Ladies' Kid Gloves	69c

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633 North Street. Next to Postoffice.

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FOR SATURDAY.

Fresh Spinach, Boston Head Lettuce, Splendid Celery, Imported White Cabbage, Extra Nice White Grapes, Cape Cod Cranberries, Imported Flagalet e Beans, Imported Green Split Peas, Sweet Potatoes, Fancy Delaware County Butter in 1 pound prints 5 and 10 pound boxes and 50 pound tubs, etc., at the

City Grocery
OF
BULL & YOUNGBLOOD
37 North Street,
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Notice is hereby given that a Panel of Petit Jurors, to serve at a County Court and Court of Sessions, to be held in and for the county of Orange, at the Court House in Newburgh, on the first Monday of February, 1895, will be drawn at this office on January 17th, 1895 at 9 o'clock a. m.
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